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PERSONAL.

A. ? ? ? ?—WAS IST DAS? ? ? ? WAS IST das? ? ? ? Was ist das?

B. C. EARL, ESQ., WILL OBLIGE BY CALLING, AT his earliest convenience, at 142 Schermerhorn street.

BLEECKER STREET.—RETURNED. MEET ME TO-day (Wednesday), at 12, at the house. JOHN.

CHARLEY—COME HOME; IN TROUBLE; LITTLE ONE very sick with scarlet fever, not expected to live. K.

ELLA—YOUR TICKETS IN THE "HAMILTON OPERA House drawing" are left in an envelope at the Commissioner's office, 1,217 Broadway. FRED.

FRI., 3 P. M.—WILL TALL BRUNETTE IN BROWN, blue veil, to 41st, address ADMIRER, Hoffman H.?

GENERAL—COME BETWEEN TO-DAY AND SATURday. Sooner the better.

INFORMATION WANTED—OF WILLIAM ALEXANder Kent Rogers, who left New York September, 1856. Any person who can give any information of him, dead or alive, address WILLIAM E. MACDONOUGH, Jr., 416 East Eighty-ninth street.

IF E*** WILL RETURN AND SETTLE MATTERS AS agreed it will save a great deal of trouble. Nothing is known as yet.

MRS. E. B.—"PERSONAL IN THE HERALD ON Wednesday." Forgive it I offend. I could explain if you would give me a chance. Won't you send me one kind word? I can keep a secret. Address "MYSTERY," Herald office.

MAUD.—I WILL MEET YOU AT NIBLO'S MATINEE to-day, and will give you the "Hamilton Opera House tickets," as the drawing takes place this evening. CLARENCE P.

MINNEHAHA OR HER SISTER.—HOFFMAN HOUSE. ST. PAUL.

NEW HAVEN, BRIDGEPORT AND PHILADELphia—You must send your address to 881 Broadway.

PARTIES HAVING BUSINESS WITH MRS. H. N. HENDERSON, late of 163 Lexington avenue, can hear of her present residence by addressing her at station F.

TAYLOR'S HOTEL, JERSEY CITY.—LADY WHO NOticed gentleman waiting for boat, if agreeable, will address FUN, Herald office, and mention some circumstance to avoid mistake.

THE LADY WITH AUBURN HAIR, GREEN DRESS, black trimmings, Twenty-third street stage, 4 P. M. Tuesday, can make a well disposed acquaintance by addressing COLONEL WILLIAMS, Herald office.

TOMPKINS.—DID YOU GET LETTERS? IF YOU care for me you will write a line. DOUBTFUL.

WILL THE BEAUTIFUL BRUNETTE, WITH THE "wicked eyes," who didn't recognize an old acquaintance in Pavonia ferry last week, and afterwards met, speak another interview, naming time and place, in morning? Address CAPTAIN, Herald office.

WILLIAM NYE.—I BOUGHT NO. 29,855 HAMILTON Opera House drawing at the St. Nicholas Hotel Theatre Ticket Office. You can get other numbers in the same thousand there, up to 5 o'clock P. M. to day, 22d. AH SIN.

WANTED TO ADOPT—A NEW BORN MALE INFANT. Call on or address Mme. VAN BUSKIRK, 43 St. Mark's place.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A.—PHALON'S NEW PERFUME,

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I LOVE YOU.

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A.—A.—PERSONS WHO ARE INSURED IN GOOD life insurance companies, and who do not desire to surrender their policies by an absolute sale, can borrow the surrender value of their policies by applying at Insurance Agency, 87 Liberty street.

A WHOLE FUNERAL FOR $25.—CONSISTS OF COFfin for adult, horse and one carriage; $25; at BURKE & MCCORMICK'S, 327 Bowery, near Second street, New York.

A.—$1000 FOR ANY CASE OF STAMMERING I CANnot cure. No money in advance.
Prof. WRIGHT, 25 Eighth street (St. Mark's place).

A.—A.—"WILMINGTON, N. C., LOTTERY."
W. H. GERKEN & CO., Managers.
CLASS 291—DRAWN AT 12 M., FEBRUARY 21, 1871.
78, 14, 13, 23, 3, 63, 18, 42, 25, 37, 32, 58, 2.
CLASS 292—DRAWN AT 5 P. M., FEBRUARY 21, 1871.
21, 71, 32, 74, 33, 72, 15, 63, 24, 2, 8, 53.
LUTHY & CO., Brokers.
249 Greenwich street, New York.

A.—A.—OFFICIAL DRAWINGS.
SIMMONS & CO.'S LOTTERIES.
ALABAMA—EXTRA CLASS NO. 111—FEBRUARY 21, 1871.
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J. "LUTHY, Broker, 249 Greenwich, 153 Fulton street and No. 2 Park row. Box 4,261 Post office.

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By order of the Board.

PAUL I. ARMOUR, COURTLANDT PALMER, W. H. JOHNSON, } Committee on Subscription.

New York, Feb. 11, 1871.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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KENTUCKY STATE LOTTERY.
EXTRA CLASS 187—TUESDAY, FEB. 21, 1871.
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JOSEPH BATES, Agent,
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Hudson City, N. J.,
Office, 20 East Fourteenth street,
New York.

We are not connected in any manner with any laundry in New York, and the public are cautioned against the representations of some persons discharged from our employ.

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KENTUCKY—EXTRA CLASS 187—FEBRUARY 21.
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KENTUCKY—CLASS 188.
45, 32, 62, 14, 46, 56, 13, 7, 28, 76, 75, 9.
BALEY & CO., Brokers,
old established office, 174 Broadway.

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THE LAST CHANCE.

THIS EVENING, FEBRUARY 22,

THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE DRAWING

will take place at Hamilton, Ohio. The drawing will be under the management and control of some of the leading bankers and business men of Ohio. The tickets will be sold up to four o'clock at all the places where they are on sale, and at P. C. Devlin's, No. 2 Wall street, up to six o'clock, and at the Commissioners' office, 1,217 Broadway, up to eight o'clock, unless they are all previously sold.

The First and Capital Prize consisting of the magnificent Opera House Building, which has been appraised by the Probate Judge and Auditor of Butler county at.....$100,000

1 Cash Prize at $20,000	20,000
1 Cash Prize at $5,000	5,000
5 Cash Prizes at $1,000	5,000
8 Cash Prizes at $500	4,000
60 Cash Prizes at $100	6,000
76 Prizes	$150,000

The whole enterprise will be divided into 25,000 Shares or Tickets of $5 each, which can be obtained from the Opera House Commissioners at Hamilton, Ohio, or at the Commissioner's office,
No. 1,217 BROADWAY, New York city; or from
P. C. DEVLIN, No. 2 Wall street, New York,
and at the following places throughout the city:—

P. C. Devlin's No. 2 Wall st.	Metropolitan Hotel, railroad office.
L. Delmonico's, Broad st.	Metropolitan Hotel, cigar stand.
C. Delmonico's, Broadway and Chambers st.	Springler House, Gus. Mestayer.
Fitzgerald's, 129 New st.	Anson House, corner Spring and Crosby.
Steel's Hotel, Greenwich st.	Kilner's Saloon, Spring st.
Cosmopolitan Hotel, West Broadway and Chambers st.	Tebrich & Son, 803 Broadway.
Porter Bros., 155 Church st.	MacKinley's Hotel, Fulton ferry.
St. Nicholas Hotel.	J. Lary's, 881 Broadway.
General Railroad office, No. 9 Astor House.	Hargreaves & Mace's, 23d st. and 6th av.
Menlo & Co's, 515 Broadway	Alphonse Ekrich's, 23 Union square.
Genin's, St. Nicholas Hotel.	N. De Sabalough's, 29 West Union square.
Scott Gibson's, 550 Broadway.	Seaburg's, 829 Broadway.
Hazelton's, 542 Broadway.	Trimble's, 953 Broadway.
California Wine Store, 501 Broadway.	Thomas', 935 Broadway.
George W. Day's, 1,145 B'way.	Ed. Gilmore's, Broadway.
Coleman House, saloon.	Lynch & Bernstein's, San Souci.
J. Fank (Laurel), 682 B'way.	Geo. Smith's, 827 Broadway.
John H. Casey, 40 West Houston st.	Westchester House, Bowery.
Whitney House's, saloon.	Jas. Collier's, corner 13th st. and Broadway.
M.H. Butler's, corner 28th st. and Broadway.	
Grand Central Hotel, book stand.	
Fifth Avenue Hotel, book stand.	

In Albany, of J. Collier & Son Music Store (Tweddle Hall), and M. Fitzpatrick, Delavan House.
In Troy, of L. Willard's Book Store.
In Brooklyn, of J. W. Smith, Jr., Music Store, 373 Fulton street; Chas. Bunce, Music Store, 56 Court street.
In Washington, D. C., of Evan Hughes, corner Thirteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue; Willard's Hotel, Book Stand; M. H. N. Kendig, First National Bank.

OFFICE OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
HAMILTON, Ohio, Jan. 19, 1871.

The Commissioners in charge of the "Opera House Drawing" are gentlemen well known in this community for financial responsibility and good moral character. We have full faith that they will manage the drawing fairly, and that all prizes will be honestly and impartially distributed. Yours truly, JOHN B. CORNELL, Cashier.

The Cincinnati Enquirer says:—"This drawing promises to be the most popular of the kind ever presented to the public, the large number of tickets already sold showing the confidence of the people in the enterprise. We are certain that those who purchase tickets will be fairly dealt with."

All communications should be addressed to the Commissioners' Office, 1,217 Broadway, New York.

The particulars of the drawing will be published in all the leading papers of New York the morning after the drawing.

SPORTING—DOGS, BIRDS, &c.

FOR SALE—A TAME DEER, TWO YEARS OLD; IS used to being among children. Inquire at 25 East Fourth street.

STALLIONS.

FOR SALE—THE FAMOUS STALLIONS GEORGE Wilkes and Honest Allen. George Wilkes is by Kentucky's Hambletonian, half brother to Dexter, and his performances prove him the fastest stallion alive, having a record of 2:22. Honest Allen is by Ethan Allen, and acknowledged the best pole horse in the world; trotted in 2:17 over Prospect Park, beating the renowned Goldsmith Maid. Address WM. SIMMONS, box 187 Hoffman House.

HORSES, CARRIAGES, SLEIGHS, &c.

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CITY AUCTION MART AND N. Y. TATTERSALLS,
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MAJOR CHAS. H. BARKER, Auctioneer,
Regular Auction Sales
EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.
TWENTY-FOUR HOURS allowed for trial
ON EVERY HORSE sold under warrantee.
A LARGE DRIVING RING
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OUTSIDE SALES SOLICITED, and promptly attended to. Liberal advances made on everything in the Horse line.
CATALOGUE OF SALE THIS DAY, AT 12 O'CLOCK.
ELEGANT, FINE AND SUPERIOR BAY GELDING, 15½ high, 8 years old; extra free, stylish and pleasant driver; can trot in 2:30, and was never trained; is AFRAID OF NOTHING; can be driven by a lady, and is warranted sound and kind.
LARGE AND POWERFUL BROWN MARE, 15¾ high, 8 years old; extra free and pleasant driver; good SHARP ROADSTER; no vice or tricks; suited for any kind of business; very BLOCKY built, and warranted sound and kind. One no top city made Wagon, new, to pay advances.
EXTRA FINE BLOOD BAY Saddle Horse, 15¾ high, 8 years old; goes all gaits; GREAT STYLE and action; elegant in harness; can trot close to three minutes; warranted sound and kind.
STYLISH BLOOD BAY GELDING, 15¼ HIGH, 7 years old; free, easy and pleasant driver; CAN TROT IN 3:0, and that all day; afraid of nothing; no vice or tricks, and warranted sound and kind.
ONE ELEGANT PIANO-BOX full spring light road Wagon, made by JOHN F. SMITH; nearly new.
POWERFUL AND LARGE BUCKSKIN HORSE, 16½ high, 7 years old; good, free driver, very fast walker; one of the finest draught horses in the city; warranted sound and kind.
BROWN HORSE, 15½ HIGH, 5 YEARS OLD; warranted sound and kind in all harness; prompt and stylish driver; extra business horse.
TOP AND NO TOP ROAD WAGONS, DEPOT, Express and Business Wagons, Rockaways, &c.
BUFFALO, WOLF, BEAR, ANGORA, White Fox Robes, Lap Robes, Whips, Horse Clothing, Bridles, Saddles, &c.
ALSO SEVERAL OTHER HORSES.
FULL DESCRIPTION AT SALE.
SALES NEVER POSTPONED on account of weather.

A BEAUTIFUL ST. LAWRENCE BLACK HAWK, 15 hands high; very fast; nothing finer in breeding in the country; very stylish; without fault, and sound. Top and Road Wagon, Harness, &c. Apply at 22 East Fourth street, stable, before 11 A. M.

AT AUCTION—ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, AT 1:00 Broadway, near Forty-first street, at 11 o'clock, a Team of heavy built brown Horses, one large Truck, nearly new; one large Express Wagon, one light Express Wagon; also one sorrel Horse, Blankets, Robes, &c. Sale positive.

A SECOND HAND COUPE AT A BARGAIN.—ALSO Coupe Rockaway, Top Buggy, Depot Wagon, light Rockaway; several Carriages, slightly soiled, cheap, and fine assortment all styles new Carriages and Harness at reduced prices. CALVIN WITTY, 678 Broadway.

A LARGE CITY EXPRESS WAGON, LIGHT EXpress Wagons, Top and Open Wagons, Rockaways, Gigs, &c.; Harness from $12 up; Lap Robes, Blankets, Whips, &c., at the cheap stand, corner Hudson and Spring streets. LITTLE & TURNER.

A FINE ROAD TROTTER, CONSISTING OF A BAY mare, wagon and harness, will be sold cheap. Apply at 472 Tenth avenue, corner Thirty-seventh street.

A FRENCH COUPE TO BE SOLD CHEAP—AT J. R. BREWSTER & CO.'S, 65 East Twenty-fifth street.

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A NEW AND SECOND HOT ROAD, EXPRESS WAGon; Park, Pony Phaetons; Sleighs, Harness, Robes, Blankets; 20 per cent less than in other places.
WM. H. GRAY, 23, 25, 27 and 29 Wooster street.

COLT FOR SALE—NO USE FOR IT; FOUR YEARS old, not taken to get it; about 15 hands high; good and gentle; speed from the old Hambletonian horse. Apply to J. GREGORY, 37 Kane place, near Buffalo avenue, New Brooklyn.

CUT THIS OUT.—THE ROBES, BLACK BEAR, WOLF, Lynx, Wolf, extra White Angora, Leopard and Buffalo Robes, low; Horses & Carriages, $1 50; Carriage Cloth, $1 50; 22 inch Cap Truck. 108 Chambers street.

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HORSES, CARRIAGES, SLEIGHS, &c.

HARNESS FOR SALE.—SET OF LIGHT, SINGLE Harness, first class city maker, covered mounting, cheap for cash. Call on or address BANKS, 304 East Thirty-third street.

JUST ARRIVED FROM THE WEST—20 SUPERIOR draught Horses, suitable for all purposes and for sale cheap, at KIMMEY'S sale stable, 230 and 234 West Twelfth street.

TO LET—FROM THE 1ST OF MAY, THE OLD established Carriage Factory. Apply on the premises, 21 Hicks street, Brooklyn.

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WANTED—A HANDSOME STYLISH HORSE; MUST be 15.2 or 15.3 high; sound, young and go in 3 minutes. Address S. E., Herald office, stating price, color, height, &c.

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$110—GRAY CHUNK; LARGE HORSE, $85; TEAM Mares, $125; all good workers and drivers; 7 to 9 years. 764 Washington street, in grocery. Must sell; no work. Call for two days.

FINANCIAL.

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A.—A.—MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED NEW York and Brooklyn Property and unimproved City Lots. Mortgages cashed without delay.
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H. C. HARDY & SON, No. 4 Wall street,
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$18,000 WANTED—ON A FIRST MORTGAGE ON a House and Lot worth double the amount. E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

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$400,000 TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED WESTchester county, New York or Brooklyn property; sums to suit; no bonus required.
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All this and many wonders more you from this sheet may glean.

[Adapted from the poet.

First Lady—Well, did you go to Macy's last week?

Second Lady—Yes, I did.

First Lady—Why, I thought you belonged to a society that passed a resolution that they would never go there again; and I thought your husband said he would get a divorce from you if you ever went by the door even.

Second Lady—Well, so we did, but I couldn't help it. I read Macy's advertisement last week aloud at the breakfast table, and there were six other ladies who had resolved never to go there again, who heard me announce my resolution to return to Macy's. I never missed anything so much in my life. All the little choice articles that I had been accustomed to get there I was completely out of, and I could not find them elsewhere, except at extravagant prices, and many of them not at all. Finding that I was determined to go, four of them loaded me down with commissions for themselves, and I judged from the amount and variety of those commissions that they had suffered as much as I had by staying away. Well, I went to Macy's. Strange to say, the store stood in the very same spot that it did before. It was the same pleasant store, brightened up with a fresh coat of paint, and refitted for the coming season; the same pleasant faces behind the counter that I have seen there so often, and I felt at home in a minute.

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EUROPE.

The English Press on the Anglo-American Difficulties.

M. THIERS AND THE REPUBLIC.

A Franc-Tireur Burned Alive by the Prussians.

THE FRENCH ARMY IN SWITZERLAND

Turkey Reorganizing Her Army System.

The steamship Wisconsin, Captain Williams, of the Williams & Guion line, from Liverpool the 8th, via Queenstown the 9th, arrived at this port yesterday. She brings one day's later papers than those brought by the Siberia, which arrived at Boston on Monday.

General Podbielski announces that during the armistice official military news will only be published in the case of extraordinary military events occurring.

The *Gazette de Cologne* refers in glowing terms to the aid afforded by Mr Washburne to the 1,700 Germans who remained in Paris, notwithstanding the decree of expulsion

From Berlin it is stated that until the war indemnity is paid Champagne will continue to be occupied by the Germans. The Fifth corps is even designated already as the corps of occupation.

Prince Charles, of Roumania, it is rumored in Berlin, is about to quit his capital, and a *plebiscitum* is said to be in preparation at Bucharest to abrogate the constitution.

The *Independance Belge* publishes a letter from Lyons, dated the 1st inst., which says that one of the causes of Bourbaki's failure was the non fulfilment of contracts entered into by an army contractor, who absconded with a large sum of money

The *Fremden Blatt* of Vienna states that the Porte has ordered a concentration of troops on the Roumanian frontier, and has informed the Powers that this movement is only intended to guard against the action of revolutionary agitation among the neighboring Turkish population.

The London *Observer* says the report that Count Bismarck will ask for the cession of Pondicherry is, according to information we receive from a Berlin source, correct, but the purpose is not to obtain a footing in India. The object is to have something to offer England in exchange for Heligoland. The Germans want Heligoland, but not Pondicherry, and they contend as we do not want Heligoland we might like to have Pondicherry.

The former republican members of the Spanish Cortes have issued a manifesto advising the people to strive to obtain by means of the elections a reform of article thirty-three of the constitution and the dethronement of the Savoy dynasty. The manifesto claims for the Spanish people full sovereignty in all matters of constitutional power, and concludes by expressing ardent wishes for the success of the French people, whom it describes as victims of the ambition of the House of Brandenburg, the crimes of the Bonapartists and the ingratitude of the House of Savoy.

On Saturday evening, the 4th inst., one of the most destructive fires known in the annals of Manchester occurred at the extensive cotton mill in the occupation of Messrs. Shaw, Jarome & Co, Elizabeth street, Oldham road. Although the whole of the fire brigades of Manchester and Salford were at the scene of the fire shortly after it was discovered, they were utterly unable to master the flames, which spread with awful rapidity. After the fire had burned for ten hours the mill was completely destroyed. A large quantity of valuable machinery and an immense stock of material were in the mill when the fire occurred. The damage is estimated at $250,000, and is only partially covered by insurance. Upward of 500 hands will be thrown out of work. The cause of the fire is unknown.

ENGLAND.

The English Press on the Anglo-American Difficulties.

The London *Daily News* says:—

In the address of the Anglo-American Association it is said that "the lamentable ignorance of contemporary American history which exists in England, even among otherwise well instructed politicians is too notorious, and the case is much the same in the United States with reference to Great Britain." This allegation is founded on facts with which all who attentively study contemporary history must be perfectly familiar. Nearly all that ill feeling which now exists in the United States towards this country has its origin and excuse in the attitude of what is called "society" in England and the acts of a few Englishmen during the late war. That England not only sympathised with the rebels, but actively aided and abetted them, is an article of faith which Americans cling to with extraordinary tenacity. Having made up their minds that they are entirely in the right they cannot easily be induced to admit that the case has two sides, and admits of an explanation differing from that they have too hastily accepted when Mr. Thomas Hughes, M. P., who is the president of this association, visited the United States last autumn, he endeavored to explain the exact position which England occupied when the North and South faced each other in battle array. His lecture, entitled "John to Jonathan," which has been reprinted in this country, is an unvarnished, straightforward statement of facts which it is impossible to controvert or explain away. Mr. Hughes makes it clear that the American people arrived at an unfair conclusion by taking the part for the whole, and by giving a mistaken interpretation to some matters which were fraught with suspicion, but were not absolutely documentary. Their main error consisted in ascribing to malice that which was due to ignorance, and of accepting the unmistakable focus of individual prejudice for the formal demonstration and execution of national policy. * * *

What gives promise that the future will be brighter and more enjoyable than the past is the fact that such a body of gentlemen as those who form the Anglo-American Association should unite together, not only with a view to enlighten opinion with regard to America, and to foster amity between Great Britain and the United States, but with the expressed design of attaining these objects in concert with all American citizens who are animated with a like purpose, and ready to co-operate for its accomplishment. This is something not less novel than gratifying. It is one of the products of the war which slaveholders began, and which killed slavery. Before emancipation had become a fact one section of Englishmen might have united for a common object with one section of Americans; but no appeal could have been issued resembling that of the Anglo-American Association—an appeal which contemplates the assembling of citizens of both countries, irrespective of party politics and of personal opinions. In such a gathering the points of difference between the Englishman and the American vanish, and the points of resemblance and uniformity become more clearly apparent. That the Anglo-American Association should achieve all the aims of its promoters is what every right-minded citizen of both Great Britain and the United States must desire.

The Manchester *Guardian* thus comments:—

An Anglo-American Association has been formed, under the presidency of Mr. Thomas Hughes, M. P., to obtain securities for the maintenance of a friendly understanding and the cultivation of more cordial relations between the United States and Great Britain. A large number of Englishmen well known in literature and politics participate in the undertaking, the scope of which is for the present to be confined to "the publication of carefully prepared statements upon the questions at issue" between the two countries, with a view to correcting "the lamentable ignorance of contemporary American history which exists in England even among otherwise well instructed politicians." Heartily approving of the movement we beg to suggest to the Association a theme to begin with. Let them explain the peculiarities of American institutions or of American character which permit the House of Representatives at Washington to vote by an enormous majority a cordial welcome to the gallant Irish rebels, while at the same time, as we are assured, and as the Association will maintain, there is no popular desire either openly to quarrel with the mother country or to subject her to wanton affront. This is a state of things of which Englishmen are rightly described as "unfathomably ignorant." We are accustomed to regard a national representative assembly as having a grave purpose in its formal acts, and to search the journal of some meaning to a straightforward declaration of its feelings. A treaty clearly shows the habits of thought on public matters are so widely different in America that the Parliament of that country can express resolutions expressly with the domestic enemies of an independent nation and yet not have the slightest idea of officially supporting a war policy would be a valuable contribution to the prospects of peace. Whether it would also tend to raise democratic institutions in the estimation of Englishmen is a different question.

The following article is from the London *Standard* of February 7:—

General Schenck is, it may be supposed now on his way across the Atlantic, although he has made so many false starts that his arrival must not be reckoned upon until it is *un fait accompli*. Signs are not wanting that when he does arrive here he will proceed at once to reopen the question of the Alabama claims. In reference to those claims there are two questions—will England pay the little bill that the United States is going to present, and, assuming her readiness to pay, how is the amount of the bill to be fixed? That we are ready to pay any reasonable compensation for any injury that can legally be laid at our door is an indubitable fact, but that we are not going to pay either an unreasonable amount or anything at all except as compensation for direct injuries, is equally certain. We have the best reason to believe that General Schenck will urge his countrymen's claims in a true spirit of conciliation. But the practical difficulty is this—how is the amount of compensation which England is willing to pay to be ascertained? The United States appear to be taking this matter into their own hands with a vengeance. The President, in his Message, having suggested the appointment of a commission to ascertain the amounts and ownership of individual claims in the matter, a bill has been brought into the House of Representatives by a republican member to carry out the suggestion. According to the bill three commissioners are to be appointed to examine claimants and witnesses on oath. All claims are to be presented within six months from the first meeting of the commissioners, and are to be decided within one year. The decision of two commissioners is to be final. For the payment of these claims the United States Treasury is to issue British bonds to the extent of $20,000,000. The inquiries of the commission are to extend to claims in respect of losses not only by the Alabama, but also by the Florida, Shenandoah and Georgia, and their tenders, and they are to hear counsel appointed by the English government. Of course, if the government of the United States choose to proceed *ex parte* to settle the amount of the claims, with a view of paying them off and presenting them in a consolidated form for settlement, they are welcome to do so, but it must be pointed out that if they pass and act upon this bill in the first place, the English government will not dream of instructing counsel to appear before such an informal tribunal, for to do so would be tantamount to agreeing to accept its decisions as binding; and, secondly, that, even supposing we admit some liability in respect of the Alabama, we positively deny our liability for all the losses occasioned by all the southern cruisers.

To appoint such a commission as that contemplated by the bill is, in fact, perfectly superfluous. The first point is to make out that England is under any liability at all. This the United States assumes, but England will not admit, until the matter has been brought before, and adjudicated upon, by some tribunal of arbitration agreed upon by the parties. The extent of the liability—i. e., whether it extends only to damage caused by the Alabama, or whether to that caused by any other and what cruisers—must be similarly ascertained. Then, and not till then, comes the pecuniary question—what is to be the amount of the indemnity, if any, to be paid by England? Unless this country and the United States can agree upon the amount this question also must be submitted to arbitration, but to the arbitration of a proper tribunal, not to that of commissioners appointed by the United States government and sitting as a United States court.

Tom Hughes on the Iron Trade Wages Dispute.

On the morning of the 6th Mr. Hughes, M. P., delivered his decision on the wages dispute in the North of England iron trade, from the evidence which had been laid before him by both masters and men on Thursday and Friday, at Darlington, and when both sides bound themselves in connection with the Board of Arbitration to abide by the honorable gentleman's decision. The standing committee of the board yesterday proceeded to Saltburn, where they met Mr. Hughes at the Zetland Hotel, and received his decision. Besides the award, a statement of reasons which have induced Mr Hughes to form the decision will be given in a day or two. The masters, it will be remembered, claimed a reduction of ten per cent on wages for 1871, the cause alleged being the depression of trade caused by the war. Mr Hughes has granted a reduction, though but half that claimed, and for a less period. His award is as follows:—

I, Thomas Hughes, the arbitrator appointed by a resolution of the Board of Arbitration and Conciliation for the Manufactured Iron Trade of the North of England, dated the 31st December, 1870, having heard the statements of the representatives of the employers and of the workmen on the said Board and having carefully considered the matters referred to me, do hereby award and declare that there shall be a reduction of six pence per ton on the wages paid to puddlers and of five per cent on the wages paid to other workmen in the employment of the several firms and persons represented at the board, and that such reduction shall take effect from January 1 and continue until July 1, 1871, or in the event of no further change being made by resolution of the said Board or by arbitration, after the said 1st day July, 1871, then until the 31st day of March, 1872.

FEBRUARY 6, 1871. THOS HUGHES

N. B.—In using the phrase "five per cent on wages," in this award, I mean to indicate the precise sum which was added to wages by agreement of the Board on February, 1870. My intention is that the exact advance then made shall be now taken off

Opinions of the London Press on a Government for France.

The London *Times* discussed the future form of government for France.—"The Duc d'Aumale looks fondly back on a constitutional monarchy. M. Sherer argues for a moderate republic. The civic mobs who support M. Gambetta would proclaim a republic by Divine right while the conspirators of Brussels declare that in the restoration of the empire is the only chance for the salvation of France. All these proposed schemes of national organization are in essence republican. The empire itself was a republic, subject to the great defect—that it was founded in violence. This blot ought to prevent its ever being again established. A political system which cannot be changed except by a revolution is self condemned. For the same reason that democratic republic which M. Gambetta, by his arbitrary decrees, confesses cannot exist except by the disfranchisement of large masses of the nation, ought to be rejected. M. Gambetta's republic would begin, as it would end, in violence. But why should there be any struggle between a constitutional monarchy and a republic where the nation is governed by an elective representative Legislature and an executive holding office only while possessing the confidence of the Legislature? A constitutional monarchy is nothing more nor less than this last, with a head either hereditary or elective, and the conception of such a republic has been familiar to all French political thinkers since the discussion on the "Amendement Grevy" in 1849. If the Duc d'Aumale were explicitly to renounce the pretension of reviving the constitution of July, and, seeking and securing election for himself, his nephews and his brothers as Deputies, would aspire to the position of Prime Minister of a permanent republic, the position of the family, under such an arrangement, would be one of immense power, and it would have this advantage—that a temporary interruption of their authority would be no more than an exile from place, and not from their country."

The London *Daily News* remarks that "the feuds between Bordeaux and Paris, between the war party and the peace party, the strifes of dynastic pretensions and of theoretical principles of Orleanist, Bonapartist, and legitimist, of moderate and of red republican of socialist reformer and social conservative, threaten all ever France, and unless means can be found of conjuring away the elements of danger, they will undermine any settlement which may be attempted. When the very principles of society and the bases of government are questioned, the peril menaces established order everywhere. The year 1848 overset many European thrones and the catastrophe of 1871 threatens to be more disastrous than that of 1848. It may be doubtful whether the danger which we believe Count Bismarck to have seen in September, and which then might have been obviated, has not now reached unmanageable limits. If it is to be got rid of it can only be by the proposal of such terms of peace as shall invite the unanimous acceptance of the French people, and leave them free to turn, with some degree of national self-respect and under burdens not too heavy to be borne, from a miserable and humiliating past to the work of securing a stable and orderly present and a brighter future."

FRANCE.

M. Thiers and the French Republic.

The correspondent of the London *Daily News* in Bordeaux writes, under date of February 1, in the following strain:—

I was sitting yesterday in the office of one of M. Gambetta's principal secretaries when M. Thiers came in. He said that, knowing M. Gambetta was ill, he would not attempt to disturb him, but that he should be glad to hear the news. A conversation ensued, in the course of which official despatches confirming the very worst rumors that have been circulated about the terms of the capitulation of Paris arrived. M. Thiers expressed his grief and indignation in no measured language. He said he was "disgusted" with Trochu, and that Jules Favre had covered himself with everlasting disgrace; he, after his proud speech "not an inch of our territory, not a stone of our fortresses," should have cut off his right hand rather than sign the horrible treaty. He attributed the fall of Paris to culpable incapacity and carelessness on the part of Trochu and most of the members of the provisional government. There had been a shocking and improvident waste of provisions early in the siege. On this occasion—a memorable occasion—I heard from M. Thiers' own lips confirmation of what I stated the other day—that he, when a member of the Committee of National Defence, had vainly urged and entreated Trochu, before Paris was invested, to occupy and fortify St. Germain, and those very heights toward Celle St. Cloud which were ineffectually attempted to be taken during the feeble sortie of the 19th. The member of the administration with whom I was then said to M. Thiers:—"I have watched your literary and political career for forty years, and the saying of yours which I most admire is that of 1849—'The republic is the government which divides us the least.' Allow me to ask whether, under existing circumstances, you are willing to repeat that dictum." Without a moment's hesitation M. Thiers vehemently replied, "I do; I am not now an Orleanist; I go in frankly for the republic, and it would have been better for you if your government had been more decidedly republican from the beginning. A great many Orleanists have been trafficking with Prussia. I am ashamed of them and repudiate them." This important expression of M. Thiers' opinion was delivered aloud in the presence of several persons, and therefore I can, without any breach of confidence, repeat it. I was surprised to hear M. Thiers speak as he did, for up to to day I had thought him not only an Orleanist, but the centre of Orleanist intrigues.

Decree of the Paris Government Relative to the French Elections.

PARIS, Feb 2, 1871.

The following is the decree issued by the government of Paris relative to the elections:—

The government of the National Defence decrees:—

ARTICLE 1. The electoral colleges are convoked to elect a National Assembly on Sunday, February 8, in the Department of the Seine, and on Wednesday, the 8th of February, in the other departments.

ART. 2. In the departments or portions of departments where, by reason of the war or from other causes, the vote cannot be taken on the 8th of February, the day of voting will be appointed by an order of the Prefect, if the vote can be taken before the meeting of the Assembly, but in accordance with the decision of the Assembly itself should the vote not be able to be taken until after the meeting.

ART. 3. The election will take place by department, by ticket inscribed with a list of members for whom they wish to vote, in conformity with the law of the 15th of March, 1849.

Each department will elect the number of deputies determined by the table annexed to the decree of the 15th of September, 1870.

ART. 4. Eligibility will be regulated conformably to the dispositions of clause four, of the law of the 15th of March, 1849.

Nevertheless, the disqualification created by article 24, of a paid public functionary, will be suspended until a contrary decision of the Assembly, without, however, permitting the official pay being added to that allowed as a deputy

ART. 5. Article 61, relative to the option permitted to deputies elected for several departments, and articles 96 and 97 (paragraph 2, relative to payment of deputies) of the law of the 15th of March, 1849, will be put in force.

ART. 6. Those citizens regularly inscribed in the electoral lists at the time of the vote will take part in the elections, as well as those whose claims shall be admitted before the close of the election.

At Paris all claims will be decided upon by the justices of the peace, without preliminary decision of the Municipal Commission. In the rural districts of the Seine, or where the electors have taken refuge in Paris, and in the departments, the claims will be decided upon by the Municipal Commission without appeal.

ART. 7. The election will only last one day. The poll will be opened at eight A. M. and close at six P. M.

It will be held at the chief town of the district, under the presidency of the mayor of the chief town. Nevertheless, should circumstances render it necessary, the district made by a public decree of the prefect may be divided into sections on the eve of the elections. These sections will be presided over by the mayor of the district where the vote is to be taken

ART. 8. The vote will be taken in conformity with the laws actually in force, nevertheless, Articles 56, 63, 64, 65 and 66 of the law of the 15th of March, 1849, relative to the manner in which the ballot shall be taken, will be applied. The second ballot provided by article 65 will take place the fourth day after the proclamation of the result of the first ballot.

ART. 9. Soldiers under arms will vote at the election of deputies in those departments where they are registered as voters. The first six paragraphs of article 62 of the law of the 15th of March, 1849, will be observed. Soldiers in the field, or forming part of the garrison of a place in a state of defence, will vote as the chief of the corps or the commandant of the fortress may arrange.

ART. 10. The Assembly will decide about the elections in Algeria and the colonies

ART. 11. The Assembly will meet at Bordeaux on the 12th of February.

GENERAL TROCHU, ERNEST PICARD,
JULES FAVRE, EUGENE PELLETAN,
J. FERRY, GARNIER PAGES,
J. SIMON, E. ARAGO

Done at PARIS, Jan 29, 1871

MacMahon Corrects Bismarck.

Marshal MacMahon has sent the following letter, dated Wiesbaden, the 21st of January, to the Minister for Foreign Affairs:—

YOUR EXCELLENCY—Count Bismarck, in his circular of the 9th of January to the diplomatic agents of Germany abroad, asserts that in the battle of Woerth several German soldiers were wounded by explosive bullets, and he accuses the French army of having made use of them. Count Bismarck has been led into error, and the fact brought forward by him cannot have happened, as the corps which was engaged in the battle of Woerth was not provided with a single explosive bullet. I certify this with a thorough knowledge of the case, and I request you to be good enough to contradict Count Bismarck's allegation. I remain &c.,

MACMAHON

A Visit to Paris.

The London *Daily News* correspondent transmits from Longwy some further particulars of his flying visit to Paris after the capitulation.—

It surprised me to see so many well-appointed vehicles still in the streets of Paris, with well conditioned horses. Nor were the omnibuses either few or far between, and their horses were in the best of condition, as were the horses ridden at break-neck speed through the streets by officers who looked, and who probably were, transmogrified *petits crevés*. After visiting the American Legation I made my way to the Hotel de St. Honoré, to an old fashioned and well known house, kept by a worthy Briton of the name of Unthank. Mr. Unthank had for his boarder through the siege Dr Gordon, our medical commissioner in Paris, and he takes pride in asserting, what I believe to be true, that the doctor, under his auspices, had lived better than any other man in Paris. When dinner came it bore out Mr. Unthank's boast. Positively there was a fowl—pretty well, I reckon, the last fowl in Paris. Mr. Unthank was offered eighty francs for the biped while yet it had its feathers on, and refused it, and so we had him for dinner. I believe this house is the only one in Paris into which horseflesh has not been allowed to enter, and this owing to exceptional circumstances I had intended to promenade Paris all night to make the most of the time, necessarily limited, but by ten o'clock the promenade became a solitary one. By nine the dim lights were put out in the kiosks, and were waning in the street lamps. By half-past the cafés were putting up their shutters; the red striped waiters looked curiously nondescript. By ten the world of Paris was left to darkness and to me, and so I went to bed. The morning was wet. Would Paris collapse if her streets were not cleaned? There were the scavengers at work in this crisis, just as if the Empire was still to the fore and as if its name was peace; and the shops open in the rue de St. Honoré, and ladies tripping about and cabs plying and beggars cadging, and everything as like peace time as could well be imagined, except that everybody was in uniform, that you saw no food for sale, and did see crowds of women waiting outside the bakers' and the butchers'. I was inside Paris but how was I to get out? Trotting down the rue Rivoli I met Dr. Cormac, who, as head of the English ambulance, supported by Mr. Wallace, has been doing very good work. On my right the gardens of the Tuileries were utterly desecrated, ploughed up with innumerable hoof prints of cattle, scored with tracks of provision wagons. Wooden barracks have been built where dainty flower pots once were. The Place du Trône has its eastern end blocked by a gigantic barricade, erected I suppose, *pour passer le temps*, for it is impossible that it could be of any use for defensive purposes. Once outside this the Vincennes gate stood before me. I pulled up into a walk, and tried to look as if I were doing the most ordinary thing in the world. There was a cordon of soldiers across the narrow passage just inside the gate. One made a half motion for me to halt. I began to whistle, and looked the other way. He forsook his purpose. In another minute I was in the broad road outside the Vincennes gate, and was in full trot through the suburb. Presently I came to a fort on my right, the only fort still occupied by the French—a concern of barracks, stone walls and slated roofs, utterly useless as a defence. The trees of the Wood of Vincennes have suffered terribly. A little beyond the fort I came to the forepost line of the Wurtemburgers, and, chancing to meet an officer I knew, rode through without as much as being challenged. Except her forts, her garrison and her *enceinte*, it is curious to notice how much of an open town Paris has been all through the siege. The forepost defence line of the French is hardly worth talking of as an obstruction. Here and there, it is true, it is formidable. Around the chateau of Villantenouse, for instance, there is a series of works which are of a regular fortress character, and of a construction which is creditable to those who made them; but there they stand all alone, unsupported, as French soldiers as well as French works, have been so often during this war. So the German patrols were wont quietly to walk round these Villantenouse works and do their business on the further side, utterly negativing them. Non-continuity is the striking feature everywhere of the French line of defence. Fort Nogent, close on the right of which I passed in my ride to-day, has not, to all appearance, suffered so much as the St. Denis forts. It may, I think, be taken as granted that there will be no German occupation of Paris. The Germans have got the substance, and in God's name, say they, let us have the poor devils the empty shadow.

German Atrocities—A Franc-Tireur Burned Alive—Surgeons and Nurses Shot in Cold Blood.

The burning alive of an officer of Garibaldi's force is confirmed to-day by the correspondent of the London *Daily News*, who writes from Dijon—

Yesterday, while waiting for a batch of wounded coming up from Dôle, to be housed in the general hospital, one of the porters told me that in the inner courtyard was the corpse of a Franc-tireur, who had been burned alive. I went to the secretary and asked to see the corpse; then went with Lieutenant Davis and two Baden surgeons. Of all ghastly sights seen in these days this was the ghastliest. The poor fellow, who has since been recognized as a captain of one of Bocheck's companies, had been tied to a tree; the marks of the cords were on his arms. The fire had been lighted at his feet and he had burned slowly upwards. His back, which had been bound to the tree, was not touched by the fire, his neck and face intact, a part of his red plaid sash still hanging on. It is probable that the miscreants had been disturbed in their infamous sport, and that the fire went out before the unhappy victim was dead. It so happened that the same Baden surgeon who examined the corpse was assigned to me in the evening to attend to the few Franc-tireurs left at Dôle. He was in a most pitiable state of terror. I drove out to Hauterville, to the house where the members for the Saône-et-Loire Ambulance had been murdered. I found a very respectable woman, sister of the Mayor of Hauterville, and her daughter, at home. They told me that on the night of the 23d-24d, some surgeons and nurses came and took possession of her house for a temporary hospital, hoisted the flag with the red cross, and, having attended to all their wounded, were seated in the kitchen awaiting some food that she was preparing. Suddenly the Prussians rushed in. One officer, who spoke French, swore that she concealed Franc-tireurs. She let them search. They found none. Then in cold blood they killed the head surgeon and another doctor who was trying to escape, and left for dead on the ground four of the nurses. The soldiers returned in the morning and stripped the dead and wounded. In the same house a young girl of twenty years of age was shot through the heart, but accidentally. Hitherto I have stood up for the Prussians and disbelieved the stories of their atrocities. Now my whole soul revolts against them. Bocheck's surgeons are still prisoners. To-day (the 27th) I have seen some of the officers of the Legion whose surgeons were massacred by the Prussians at Hauterville. They do not belong to the Army of the Vosges, but to the Third legion of the mobilized National Guard of Saône-et-Loire. On the 21st they had taken possession of the village with two battalions. As soon as the outposts were placed a patrol of the enemy's cavalry entered; they were repulsed. Half an hour later a patrol of infantry were repulsed likewise; but towards evening, attacked on three sides by the Prussians, they were obliged to retreat behind the village. The ambulance surgeons and nurses remained at their post in the house they had occupied in the centre of the village, when the Prussians entered, and, long after firing on both sides had ceased, attacked the unarmed ambulance. Dr. Morin, head surgeon, received two balls in his head, an officer discharged his revolver in his breast, and the soldiers finished him off with the bayonet. Dr. Millard was murdered outside the house while trying to escape; the Infirmiers, D'Heret Champigy, Fleury, Legros and Moine, were fired on by officers armed with revolvers. The assassins carried off the four horses, the material and even the surgical instruments belonging to the ambulance. The bodies of the murdered surgeons have been exhumed and brought to Dijon, the wounded nurses are lying in our hospitals.

HABITS OF THE EMPEROR WILLIAM.

An English journal gives the following account of the Emperor William's daily routine:—

His Majesty usually rises at seven o'clock, in summer frequently much earlier, in winter sometimes later. He never sleeps but in his own campaign bed, which is carried to all reviews and military manœuvres which he attends. If there is already a bed in the room where he stays it is taken out and the campaign bed substituted. The latter consists of an iron frame; it is only a foot high, and has but little furniture. In raw weather the King wears his cloak. Only a small pocket watch is hung up by the wall near this simple couch, this being a favorite souvenir with which the King was presented, in 1814, on accompanying his royal father in a journey to Neufchatel and through Switzerland. At a previously fixed, or otherwise at the ordinary, time, if the King has not already rung, two attendants enter the room. On days when there is to be a battle this occurs at a very early hour, as at Sadowa, where he was awoke at four A. M., and at Gravelotte, where he was awoke at three, for the King likes to be present at the marching out of the troops. If this is not necessary, despatches, &c., are laid on the table where the King drinks coffee, so that they come immediately into his hands. The King, as soon as he rises, dresses from head to foot, and remains dressed the whole day, merely unbuttoning his overcoat if he is alone in his room, or receives only persons in his suite. When other persons are received he always appears with buttoned overcoat, as, also, when he steps up to a window to watch troops marching by, or if he knows that military persons can see him. On returning from journeys and reviews, or from a battle, he changes his linen, but entirely dresses again. A dressing gown, slippers or any other domestic luxury which almost every independent man allows himself at home, the King has never used, even during indisposition or sickness. The King opens all his letters himself, without exception; even during serious illness they must be opened in his presence. He sorts them. On a first perusal he makes signs or marginal comments on them. These signs have a fixed signification, and the officials into whose hands they come know how to deal with them. All letters destined for the Berlin Ministry go back thither; otherwise they are sent to the authorities at headquarters. Everything goes according to a regular method and the king has really only one habit—that of working

SWITZERLAND.

Bourbaki's Army in Switzerland—Number of Men and Extent of War Materiel.

A correspondent of the *Independance Belge* writing from Berne, says:—

The text of the capitulation of the commander of the French army with General Herzog has not yet been published, but it is to be noticed that this army has surrendered with all its war *matériel*, including 100 cannon and mitrailleuses, and about 80,000 carbines. Switzerland would not, therefore, be a loser in a financial sense, even in the improbable event that the repayment of the expenses of feeding the prisoners had not been stipulated for in the convention; for this *matériel* would belong by the laws of war to Switzerland, without a special stipulation to the contrary. The Federal Council has directed the military department to make purchases of rice and wheat for the food of the prisoners. It has decided to-day to distribute them among the different cantons, as follows:—Zurich, 11,000, Berne, 20,000; Lucerne, 5,000, Uri, 400, Schwytz, 1,000, Owalden, 400, Nidwalden, 300, Glaris, 7,000; Zangen, 700, Friburg, 4,000; Soleure, 3,000; Bâleville, 5,000; Bale Campagne, 1,900, Schaffhausen, 1,200, Appenzelle, R. E., 1,500, Appenzelle, R. I., 200, St. Gall, 7,000; Grisons 1,000; Argovia, 8,900; Thurgovia, 3,900; Canton of Vaud, 8,000, Valais, 1,000, Neuchâtel, 1,000, Geneva, 1,500—a total of 84,900 men.

TURKEY.

A Change in Turkish Policy—Taking a Lesson from Prussian Successes—Preparing a Large Military Force—Revival of Self-Confidence.

A London correspondent of one of the English papers in Pesth writes as follows, under date of the 31st ult:—

As you know, Turkey, too, has taken a lesson from the Prussian successes and is organizing a system of reserves which will make the whole Mahommedan population by degrees into a nation in arms. She possesses in this respect material such as few countries have. Bodily strength, endurance and sobriety are combined with a feeling of obedience to the ruling powers which leave unimpaired that sentiment of a dominant race which, in spite of Hatti Humayums, is as strong as ever. The successful expeditions in Montenegro and in Candia, small as they have been in themselves, have contributed not a little to strengthen confidence in the regenerating power of the empire, and this confidence has considerably shaken the belief in the necessity of protection on the part of Europe, while the downfall of the imperial power in France and the moderation evinced by the treaty Powers at the insult offered to them by Russia have rather upset the belief in the efficacy of such protection.

The habit which had grown up was strong enough to make the Turks pause before committing themselves, but when they saw that the joint protection of Europe did not take that energetic form which had been, if not reckoned upon, at least thought possible, the feeling arose that under the altered circumstances it was much safer to trust to oneself rather than to others and to regain as much as possible that liberty of action which had been sacrificed in the hope of such protection.

And this is now the tendency which prevails in Constantinople, and the effects of it will no doubt be felt at the Conference. It was this which made the Turks, who, a few months before, shrunk at the very idea of the abolition of the neutrality of the Black Sea, when it first appeared in the shape of a vague rumor, now consider such a change not only without repugnance, but rather favorably, on condition that all restrictions in times of peace as well as war in the Straits should be also removed. They see that they have a strong iron-clad fleet, while Russia has none in the Black Sea. However much this latter may hasten to come up with them, they think they will always be able to keep ahead of her. They begin to have faith in their army, and expect great things from the new organization of the reserves.

One of the consequences of this revived self-confidence has been, strange to say, the establishment of better relations between the Porte and Russia than have existed for years. While the Turks were still basking under the imaginary shade of European protection, they looked upon Russia as the possible disturber of this repose. Now that they have been shaken out of it, and see that they must more or less stand upon their own legs, and that they are able to do so, Russia no longer appears to them so very formidable, and they are readier to listen to those assurances of goodwill and absence of all evil designs. If they do not really believe in them, the idea of emancipating themselves from the tutelage of Europe is so much in harmony with their own inclinations that they may well be pardoned if they seem to follow it. This reviving self-confidence, which is at the bottom of all, is the healthiest symptom which has been shown by Turkey since 1856, and it may be a better check on the civilizing mission of Russia than any joint guarantee of the Turkish territory by the Powers of Europe.

THE ERUPTION OF MOUNT VESUVIUS.

The Naples correspondent of the London *Times* in a letter dated the 28th ult., says:—

An eruption of Vesuvius is an event of such general interest that even at times when your columns are so full you may find room for a brief report. It has presented a brilliant spectacle now for some days, and great numbers of foreigners have arrived, who on fine nights make the ascent at least as far as the Atrio del Cavallo, for the grand cone is almost prohibited ground. The action of the mountain, however, varies so much that it is impossible to predict, with any degree of probability, what its state may be on the morrow. At times it appears to be sinking into a quiescent state and then bursts out in greater fury a few hours after. At the beginning of the week its activity was slight, and the instruments of the Observatory gave no indication of an immediate increase. Less smoke and scarcely any stones were thrown out, while the principal crater thundered more rarely and with less force. The continual rain which fell at the time soon carried off the small subpriates, leaving no trace behind. Professor Palmieri, in his last report, says:—

Vesuvius is scarcely in a state to promise a real eruption, and in the period of agitation we are accustomed to observe isolated shocks at greater or less intervals, and almost harmless. Many, in fact, were manifested in 1868, when Vesuvius, by small eruptions, made preparations for the grand conflagration which a year later in seven days covered the fertile land of the "Scorchia" with twenty mills in cubic masses of lava. The slight flame which shines on the top of an insignificant cone, together with small intermittent currents of lava, which are extinguished before arriving at the base of the cone, do not constitute the real eruption, by means of which the period of earthquakes may be expected to terminate. Nevertheless, earthquakes, with return shocks renewed month by month, as lately happened in Calabria and in Forlì, are, I think, less probable—though other shocks may be expected, supposing that Vesuvius continues its labor, which at this moment has much slackened.

We may infer, therefore, that Vesuvius will for some time present a more or less brilliant spectacle before arriving at the grand *finale*, and travellers may bend their steps towards Naples with almost a certainty of seeing something worth seeing. The new cone which opened toward the north on the 12th ult has closed, but at the back of it another mouth has opened and is this morning throwing out a lofty column of black smoke. In fact, the mountain is in a state of intermittent fever, being sometimes almost passive, and at others ejecting smoke and stones to a great height.

FACTS, INCIDENTS AND PERSONALS FROM THE CONTINENTAL EUROPEAN PRESS.

The Congress of Republican Journalists held at Toulouse on the 21st of January comprised representatives from the press in nearly every great quarter of France, and the resolutions they adopted were of the firmest character with reference to defending the honor of France, reorganizing the country and resisting all unreasonable demands on the part of its invaders.

The German army cantoned around Paris requires for its daily consumption 148,000 three pound loaves of bread, 1,020 quintals of rice or barley, 596 beeves or 1,020 quintals of bacon, 144 quintals of salt, 9,000 quintals of oats, 24,000 quintals of hay, 28,000 quarts of brandy or other spirituous liquors. Each army corps, consisting of from 25,000 to 30,000 men, receives every ten days sixty quintals of smoking tobacco, 1,100,000 cigars for private soldiers and 50,000 cigars for officers. Nearly all this immense mass of supplies has to be brought from Germany, a distance of some hundreds of miles, every army corps requiring daily the use of five railway trains of thirty-two freight cars each.

The passing winter has been unusually severe throughout Northern and Central Europe. In Switzerland all the lakes were frozen, and there has not been such good sleighing on the highroads since 1828

The Swiss are establishing special government factories of improved firearms, cartridges and cannon. The mountain republic seems to be fully aroused to the necessity of providing for its own defence.

Paris retained much of its gayety during even the worst hours of the siege. The *Gaulo* published, among other things, a restaurant advertisement, as follows:—

Wine at ten sous the litre, et eau-de-sus—(translatable either "and at higher rates" or "with water on it.")

Rosbif-beef—(translatable either "roast beef" or "old horse beef.")

Rat-pout de mouton—(translatable either "mutton ragout" or "rat with a mutton flavor.")

Two hundred and thirty-two officers and 25,490 soldiers among the French prisoners of war now held in Germany were born in Alsace and speak the German language. The population of Alsace and Lorraine, numbering 1,300,000, constitutes but the thirtieth part of the total of France, and yet the French military prisoners of that origin constitute a fourteenth of the whole count. Could we take this as a sure criterion the inference would be that those two provinces furnish twice as many soldiers relatively as any of the rest.

Count Bismarck, it seems, occasionally responds to untimely queries by whistling and other significant but non committal signs. A correspondent at Versailles writes to one of the German papers that when the count was coming away from his conference with Jules Favre he was met by a distinguished officer, who asked whether there would be peace. The statesman, in reply, merely puckered his lips and whistled the bugle signal, "Rest arms!" "Only an armistice, then?" said his questioner. Bismarck shook the three hairs that adorn his cranium and whistled the hunting call, "Tally ho! Tally ho!"—meaning that they were in at the death.

Among the French corpses found on the field after the last terrible sortie from Paris were many of the National Guard, elegantly uniformed in fine cloth, with gold watches, rings, &c., delicate linen, and hands and complexion that denoted the gentler ranks of life. Many a fair home was desolate for these unreturning brave!

The armed forces still actually afoot and in a good condition of discipline and equipment on the French side amount to nearly 400,000 men, and this number is hourly augmenting while the armistice lasts.

Several of the German papers are crying out, "Germany is depopulated. All her stalwart males are being drafted away to the slaughter house in France."

Father Hermann, a noble spirited priest, who for five months devoted himself to the care of the French sick and wounded prisoners at Spandau has died of exhaustion. He was a distinguished member of the Carmelites, a man of great piety and energy combined, universally respected and beloved, and the author of some beautiful compositions in music.

Of forty-eight Sisters of Charity tending the small-pox patients in the Bicêtre Hospital at Paris, eleven died of the hideous malady. Volunteers from the sisterhood were called for to fill their places and thirty-three instantly responded. What is the heroism of the battle field compared with this?

Vesuvius has, for some weeks past, been threatening fierce eruption, and volcanic symptoms are rife in all the region surrounding Rome as well as at Naples.

The Prussians are excluding from the French territory under their control all the Swiss journals that comment unfavorably on their proceedings.

An enthusiast in the south of France is predicting a terrible calamity to fall upon the invaders of France, the complete rescue of that country, a tremendous revolution and a religious war in Central Europe and Italy, in which both Russia and Great Britain will take part—all to happen within a twelve-month.

Ex-Queen Isabella of Spain has requested permission to accompany the first party that will pass by rail through the Mount Cenis tunnel.

In Southern Germany the peace feeling has made great progress, and the King of Bavaria has officially spoken on the subject.

The science of aerial navigation has profited greatly by the experiences of the French war. Several aeron

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BOWERY THEATRE, Bowery.—POUT; OR, WAY DOWN SOUTH. Matinee at 2.—CRADLE OF LIBERTY, &c.

FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE, Twenty-fourth street.—SARATOGA.

GLOBE THEATRE, 728 Broadway.—VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT, &c.—GREEN BANNER. Matinee at 2.

NEW YORK STADT THEATRE, 45 Bowery.—DIE GRILLE.

BOOTH'S THEATRE, 23d st., between 5th and 6th avs.—RICHELIEU.

WOOD'S MUSEUM, Broadway, corner 30th st.—Performances every afternoon and evening.

FOURTEENTH STREET THEATRE (Theatre Francais)—RICHELIEU.

NIBLO'S GARDEN, Broadway.—THE SPECTACLE OF THE BLACK CROOK. Matinee at 1½.

WALLACK'S THEATRE, Broadway and 13th street.—THE HEIR AT LAW.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE, 720 Broadway.—HUNTED DOWN; OR, THE TWO LIVES OF MARY DEIGH. Matinee.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, corner of 8th av. and 23d st.—LES BRIGANDS.

MRS. F. B. CONWAY'S PARK THEATRE, Brooklyn.—SARATOGA.

BROOKLYN ACADEMY OF MUSIC—FAINT HEART NEVER WON FAIR LADY—USED UP.

TONY PASTOR'S OPERA HOUSE, 201 Bowery.—VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT. Matinee at 2.

THEATRE COMIQUE, 514 Broadway.—COMIC VOCALISMS, NEGRO ACTS, &c. Matinee at 2.

SAN FRANCISCO MINSTREL HALL, 585 Broadway.—NEGRO MINSTRELSY, FARCES, BURLESQUES, &c.

BRYANT'S NEW OPERA HOUSE, 239 st., between 6th and 7th ave.—NEGRO MINSTRELSY, ECCENTRICITIES, &c.

HOOLEY'S OPERA HOUSE, Brooklyn.—HOOLEY'S AND KELLY & LEON'S MINSTRELS.

APOLLO HALL, corner 28th street and Broadway.—DR. COREY'S DIORAMA OF IRELAND.

NEW YORK CIRCUS, Fourteenth street.—SCENES IN THE RING, ACROBATS, &c. Matinee at 2½.

SOMERVILLE ART GALLERY, 82 Fifth avenue.—EXHIBITION OF WORKS OF ART.

NEW YORK MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 618 Broadway.—SCIENCE AND ART.

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"CHIPPEWA" is to be the name of a new Territory to be taken from the northern part of Dakota. Uncle Sam had better be looking after his new Territories; for if the Western land grabbers keep on at their present rate he will soon not have a chip nor an inch of soil left.

THIS IS A GREAT DAY IN THE CALENDAR of 1871, as Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, and as the 22d of February, the beginning of the glorious life of Washington. In both respects, by all good Christians and patriots, let it be duly remembered and honored.

THE MOBILE *Register* says it has been ascertained that the difficulty with the Havana cable is that the loggerhead turtles—a huge sea shell fish, with jaws like sharpened shears—bite it off. The trouble usually with most ocean cables is that the managers get so frequently at loggerheads.

FALSE WEIGHTS IN THE CUSTOM HOUSE.—A suit for four hundred thousand dollars has been commenced by the government against the firm of Weld & Co., for alleged frauds to that amount by false weight of imported sugars. It is charged that they bribed a weigher of the Custom House to return their weights at figures much less than the true ones.

DOC SIMMONS, the engineer, who died at his post in the New Hamburg disaster, was buried yesterday with no show nor parade nor panegyric beyond that bestowed by the presence of a church full of people, who came to do honor to the memory of a humble, unpretentious hero, whose dying act will adorn the hard realities of his everyday life like a bit of evergreen upon a rugged wall.

THE STEAMSHIP VILLE DE PARIS.—The steamship Ville de Paris left this port on the 21st of last month for Bordeaux, and as yet we have had no news of her arrival out. Doubtless she reached her destination on time, but possibly in the confusion caused by the recent important military and civil events in that part of France, particularly in Bordeaux, telegraphing her arrival has been neglected. Should any private despatches have been received here announcing her safety it would be well to make them public for the benefit of those who may have friends and relatives on board.

The Joint High Commission—Its Duties and Its Difficulties.

In another place in this day's HERALD we print a despatch giving a condensed account of the debate which took place yesterday in the New Dominion Parliament at Ottawa. We refer our readers to the despatch. It speaks for itself. It shows that the New Dominion legislators are seriously exercised about this Joint Commission; that they are afraid of it; that they distrust it; that their conviction is they are betrayed. Our New Dominion friends have got titles. Sir A. T. Galt brought forth a motion on the fisheries. Sir John A. Macdonald replied. Sir John admitted that the Treaty of 1818 was still a power. The Americans recognized the three-mile boundary line. But Sir John could not refuse to admit that the headlands, which had not been sufficiently looked at in 1818, made a new question, which was still in abeyance. In the course of the debate it was stated that the Canadians had been slightly snubbed by Sir Edward Thornton in the negotiations which led to the enlargement of the powers of the Commission. It will be seen also from our despatch that our New Dominion friends are encouraged in the belief that this Joint High Commission, with its enlarged powers, must consider, along with the fishery question and the Alabama claims, the damages done by the Fenians in their territory.

So far so good for Canada, or the New Dominion. On the part of the British public, as we know, a very general opinion prevails that this Joint High Commission is a glorious affair. And why? Because it is to put an end to American buncombe, to make all outstanding questions plain and intelligible, to counterbalance Alabama and other claims by claims as solid, as substantial and more easy of proof, and otherwise to bring about on easy terms a final and satisfactory settlement between the two great English-speaking peoples. In other words, it is the conviction in Great Britain to-day—a conviction shared by Britishers here and elsewhere, and all the world over—that, whatever claims we may present, these can and will be counterbalanced by claims equally heavy on the other side. The reasoning in consequence is that Great Britain can admit all and pay all without paying anything at all.

Our New Dominion friends and the Britishers, wherever found, are equally at fault in their calculations. We have distinct and unmistakable ends in view. We have suffered, and suffered severely. In our four years struggle our greatest enemy was Great Britain: and British North America, as part of the British empire, shared the sin and folly and shame, and must share the consequences. We want compensation for our losses—losses unjustly inflicted upon us—and we have no other end in view in connection with this High Commission than to have these losses repaired. At the commencement of the civil war in this country our shipping was scarcely second to that of Great Britain. The war ruined our carrying trade and drove our ships from the high seas. But for the course pursued by Great Britain this loss on our part could not have happened. Vessels built and equipped and owned in Great Britain preyed upon our commerce, and under the thinnest veil the world has ever known claimed irresponsibility while wickedly destroying our ships and surreptitiously entering our ports. As a nation our loss has been irreparable; but, while the nation can bear the burden, thousands upon thousands of our citizens have been hopelessly and irretrievably ruined. We have sought no revenge. Twice over a section of our people, Irishmen by birth or by descent, believing that the New Dominion was part of Great Britain, have attempted invasion, conquest and revenge, and twice over, in place of encouraging folly and wrong, which we might easily have turned to account, we have put down the Fenians and saved to Great Britain her North American provinces. We have not nursed or aggravated or tried in any way to avenge our wrongs. We have only not forgotten them; and, with the magnanimity which characterized our treatment of the South, we have dealt with our British cousins. We have waited long, but we have waited patiently. We have reasoned long, but we have reasoned wisely. We have had our opportunities for revenge, but we have, with a magnanimity becoming our cause and our strength, uniformly refused to take any unjust advantage. We want nothing but reparation for our wrongs, compensation for our losses. When this Joint High Commission was appointed we, speaking in the name of the great American people, whose sentiments we have rarely misinterpreted, hailed it as an omen of good, and believed we saw in the not distant future a satisfactory solution of all the outstanding difficulties between the two great English speaking peoples. We still believe in the Joint High Commission; but we still stand also by the American people, by their wrongs and by their losses; and our voice to-day is still loud, emphatic and imperative for redress, if not for revenge.

This was our position when the announcement of the Joint High Commission first reached us. This is our position to-day. It was our belief that the Commission was appointed for the purpose of redressing our wrongs, not the wrongs of Great Britain. When, however, our New Dominion neighbors, through the months of their coronetted baronets, began to howl, and when, in addition, we learned from British sources that the Commission was expected to examine British claims against the United States as well as our claims against Great Britain, we with becoming consistency spoke out; and, as is our wont, we used no measured language. What we have said we repeat. If the High Commission has for its object the settlement of our claims against Great Britain we hail it, rejoice in it and wish it God speed. But if the High Commission has been appointed by the British government, with or without the consent of our government, with any *arrière pensée*, with any idea of meeting and balancing our claims by counter claims, we do and will and must denounce the Joint High Commission as a grand fraud, a huge swindle. We will not, we cannot have it. We do not despise the *couleur de rose* in diplomatic action, but no smooth-facedness, no soft language can deceive us or drive us from our purpose. The Joint High Commission can only have one purpose; it must only do one thing—consider and report upon our claims. The fishery question is a small affair and can be easily settled. But if the New Dominionites present claims for losses sustained by Fenian raids; if Southern rebels and English merchants present bills for cotton losses, we must openly and honestly say, before the Commission commences to deliberate, that the American people will not abide by its decisions, and that it must and will prove a failure. Let it not be forgotten that the Joint High Commission can only approve and recommend—that Congress must decide. Whatever the Joint High Commission may do, however wine and good dinners and pleasant talk may influence the members and mould or modify their sentiments, the American people will look to Congress and hold Congress responsible. As we have faith in the American people, so have we faith in Congress. At the same time let it be understood that if the Joint High Commission acts wisely and well we shall rejoice; nor shall we be unwilling to give President Grant a fair share of praise. If it does not well we shall show it no mercy. We shall take note of all its doings, and according to the evidence of each successive day we shall praise or blame. Let us have peace, but let us have peace with honor and dignity.

February in St. Domingo and in New York—Mark the Contrast.

Our correspondents' letters from St. Domingo furnish the strongest evidence in support of the Rev. Dr. Vinton's capital idea of securing that gloriously beautiful tropical island as a place of refuge on American soil for American invalids from the severe trials of our hard continental winters. Mark the contrast between February in New York and February in St. Domingo! Here the coldness, whiteness and death of winter are over all the land, and our rivers are charged with fields of ice, as if they had drifted down from the Arctic circle, while down in St. Domingo perpetual summer reigns. Here, saving our hardy firs, pines and cedars, our melancholy woods stand like groups of frozen skeletons on the hills; there the hills, covered with palm trees and orange groves, and a thousand tropical fruits and flowers, and gay with birds and butterflies, give us a living picture of fairy land. Here the toughest Jersey fisherman would freeze to death in the attempt to pass one of these February nights in slumbers

On the beach at Long Branch,

while one of our St. Domingo correspondents tells us that in an overland trip from Samana Bay to St. Domingo city he and his party passed in sleep a delightful night with nothing to protect them from the dews but the overshadowing trees. Here the winter's struggle for existence in thousands of cases is a failure, from the dearness of provisions, clothing and fuel, and from the want of employment; there, even in our winter months, neither fuel nor clothing gives a moment's anxiety to the happy natives, and their provisions may be gathered from the woods, fields and waters, with no other labor than to take them. Here the hard, cold, piercing wintry winds from the nor'west try the strongest lungs, and our damp and chilling nor'easters bring a bountiful crop of colds, consumptions and rheumatisms; while there old men of ninety in a single cotton garment sit at their cabin doors watching the gambols of their great-grandchildren, naked as they were born, playful as kittens and fat as butter.

The Rev. Dr. Vinton is right. We want St. Domingo as a winter *sanitarium*, and we want it as a place of refuge for thousands of our destitute poor. And what a paradise it will be to all our Bohemians, who have all their lives been dreaming of such a place, where eternal summer smiles; where bountiful nature provides all the food, clothing and shelter that are needed; where men may live and dream their lives away in fairyland without capital or labor, and where, by taking to the mountains when "Yellow Jack" is around, even he may be avoided! Oh! we must have that wonderful island of St. Domingo! Alaska was a sell; but St. Domingo, on the terms proposed, will pay for Alaska.

CLUB LIFE IN PARIS.—The Paris Jockey and Rue Royale Clubs have adopted a resolution which declares that "all candidates of German birth shall be excluded" from membership of the associations. This is a poor system of Know-Nothingism—a spirit which we have hitherto regarded as being entirely foreign to the French character. It may be that the cable report is not exactly correct. Should it prove so it must be said that the action of the city clubs tends to indicate how keenly the Parisians feel their humiliation. The Germans will most probably retort by the assertion that they have ridden the winning horse, notwithstanding the French sporting ban.

THE ARREST OF BOYD, the counterfeiter, on Saturday, is claimed by the secret service men to be the most important haul that has yet been made of "shovers of the queer," not excepting the recent capture of the famous Pete McCartney in Illinois. Only seventeen hundred dollars' worth of the spurious money was found upon his person, but he is thought to be the shrewdest and sharpest counterfeiter in the country, and is believed to be the leader of the gang of which McCartney, Bichush and Gurney were shining lights. One cheering feature of the arrest was the scientific way in which our detectives worked it up, luring the victim to New York and "shadowing" him patiently and vigilantly until they secured him with proofs of his guilt upon him. It shows that our detectives are learning their business.

IT IS ALMOST ENCOURAGING to read of an English elopement such as had its *finale* in this city the other day, when a wronged English husband, chasing his runaway wife and her friend across the Atlantic, captured them here and persuaded her to go back with him. We have so many of these little incidents in the social life of our own country that it is a matter of some congratulation to know that our misery is not wholly companionless.

THE MARION (Ind.) *Chronicle* thinks Thomas A. Hendricks would make a strong democratic candidate for the Presidency, but that it is hardly possible for him to secure the nomination, owing to the supreme power of the corrupt New York politicians in the party. The *Chronicle* is probably not aware that what it calls the "corrupt New York politicians" have withdrawn their candidate

The Queen of Spain at the Point of Death—Alarms and Dangers of the New Royalty.

By a special cable telegram letter from Madrid, dated on the 20th inst., we are informed of the existence of a new and sudden alarm, as well as the advent of another and fresh danger to the Spanish crown. The HERALD correspondent announces that her Majesty the Queen, Maria Victoria, wife of King Amadeus, was prostrated by disease and laid at the point of death on a sick bed at midnight of Monday and to an early hour yesterday morning. The Queen, who had journeyed from Florence to rejoin her husband in the Spanish capital, was seized with sickness in the town of Alassio, soon after landing on the Spanish soil. The first symptoms were decidedly febrile and announced the advent of a severe attack of miliary fever—an eruptive disease of the skin, and one which is very likely to terminate fatally by congestion in some of the great internal cavities of the body, particularly when the patient has been previously excited and then again depressed by conflicting mental emotions, as must have been the case with the youthful sovereign after she learned of the tragic circumstances under which her husband had assumed the crown of the Bourbons, with Prim stretched dead almost in his very presence. Queen Maria, who had been consoled and fortified by the clergy and the reception of the sacraments of the Church, remained in charge of the physicians at the moment when our despatch was specially forwarded from Madrid to London for transmission to New York.

From the same source of information we are told of the continued existence of crime, springing from political demoralization and the social disorganization which results from the encouragement of party faction in Madrid. A conspiracy had been formed against the life of Señor Ruis Zorilla, the President of the Cortes. Many persons had been arrested charged with combining together for the purpose of accomplishing the murder of that gentleman, and as they have been committed to prison we are to presume that the life of the distinguished parliamentary functionary was, for a moment at least, in danger.

Spain is, as it appears to us, in an exceedingly unhappy condition, notwithstanding her really fine efforts for the attainment of a national rehabilitation. Whether the advent of a foreigner to her throne will aid her healthily in this direction remains to be seen. The late Lord Lyndhurst, speaking in the British Parliament, in the plenitude of his senatorial wisdom and with all the solemnity of his baronial and judicial honors and age, declared that there existed an "alienism of language and of blood" between certain peoples which rendered their homogeneous fusion an ethnological impossibility. "The Irish," said the venerable Lord Chancellor, "are aliens in language, in creed and in blood" from the British. The utterance of this pronunciamento of divorce by the then "keeper of her Majesty's conscience" enabled the Irish people to understand the difference of race, as with the English, in the light of science, and as being, consequently, insuperable. They wandered away from Great Britain in greater numbers, and have found a home everywhere except near the scene of the parent extradition. It may be so to a certain degree between the Italians and Spaniards, although in this instance the peoples have branched from a common Latin stock. A slight "alienism" may prevail notwithstanding.

THE PENNSYLVANIA COAL CONSPIRACY.—In spite of the fact that the coal "operators," as they are called, had a surplus of two million tons of coal stored away—that is to say, just that amount over the average stock—we find that the strike of the miners in certain parts of the coal regions is made a pretext for the advance in price to twelve dollars a ton, which was the retail market price yesterday. There is no plausible reason for this, unless it is to be found in the ruthless determination of the coal men to inflict an extortion upon the people anyhow. The conspiracy has been, so far, adroitly manipulated between the coal monopolists and the railroads. The latter have, nominally, perhaps, advanced the cost of transportation to an exorbitant sum, thus giving an excuse to the coal operators to raise their prices. We know how easily these things can be managed by affiliating monopolies, and, therefore, we are not convinced that the present rise in the price of coal is a necessity of trade. On the contrary, we are satisfied that it is a deliberate extortion.

JOHN MORIARTY, the Fenian, of Philadelphia, has put a hard conundrum to Secretary Fish. He wants to know if the Joint High Commission is empowered to pass upon the claims of the Fenian exiles for damages by imprisonment in British bastiles. Fish had to give it up.

QUITE A RACY SCENE occurred in Judge Gross' Marine Court yesterday when Mrs. Woodhull, the untiring advocate of woman's right to suffrage and the Presidency, was tried on a charge of speculating unwisely with a Miss Swindell's money in Wall street. It would appear that she took five hundred dollars of the complainant's money, at complainant's urgent request, and invested it in gold. The five hundred dwindled to eighteen dollars and sixty-two cents in one or two turns of the indicator, and Miss Swindell concluded that she had been swindled. Thereupon she brought this suit, and the jury, apparently thinking pretty much as she did, allowed her three hundred and fifty odd dollars.

THE WAR AMONG THE WOMEN is becoming bitter. It will finally become a war to the knife and the knife to the hilt if this style of thing goes on much longer. Here is Mrs. Beecher Hooker about to open on Washington as a faithful follower of Mrs. Woodhull on the lecture rostrum; and here is Mrs. Phelps about to call upon all women to put down this suffrage movement. The next thing we know there will be names called and hair pulled, and then where are we?

THE FOLLOWING is the result of the town meetings in this State thus far this year:—Broome county—republicans 13, democrats 7; Steuben (in part)—republicans 15, democrats 11; St. Lawrence—republicans 24, democrats 4; Tioga—republicans 8, democrats 2. Very little excitement was manifested at the meetings

The Weapons of the European War—American Superiority and Deficiency.

There are some lessons taught us by the present war in Europe which should be carefully borne in mind, and one of them relates to the weapons used by the contending armies. We have no large standing army, but our system of military defence, defective as it is in many essential features, enables us to rapidly raise and organize hundreds of thousands of men familiar with the use of firearms, and, more or less, acquainted with the discipline of a soldier. In these scientific days, however, much depends upon the weapons used by an army—more, perhaps, than even good generalship and perfect discipline. We doubt if the French would have gained any victories in the present war had they been as well drilled as the Germans and remained wanting in the terrible breech-loading field artillery used by their adversaries, and which has, on almost every battle field done more to defeat them than the strategy of Von Moltke and the imbecility of their own generals. It is, therefore, of some importance to inquire into our ability to enter a war upon equal terms with other great nations.

One fact developed by the European contest is the defectiveness of the French and German system of small arms. Although proven at Sadowa superior to the old muzzle-loader, the needle-gun has been an ordinary weapon when opposed to the Chassepot. At Mars le Tour and Gravelotte the superior range and initial velocity of the French weapon almost neutralized the advantage possessed by the Germans in artillery, numbers and generalship. Never at any time during these battles did the Germans succeed in breaking the French line. At Gravelotte, especially, it was not until the right wing of Bazaine's army had been turned and its rear threatened that the French retired, in perfect order, upon the fortress of Metz.

Nevertheless the Chassepot, which is only an improvement on the needle-gun, is also a defective weapon. Both guns are, in fact, constructed on a false principle. The breech mechanism works by means of a bolt, which moves backward and forward in a channel in order to open and close the breech. This occasions great friction, and as both guns use paper cartridges there is a general tendency for the gas to escape, thereby fouling the piece and obstructing the operation of the bolt. In addition, the channel in which the bolt acts frequently conducts the gas back to the face of the soldier firing the gun, rendering it dangerous to handle. But, as we have said before, the superior range of the Chassepot has been a decided benefit to the French, and accounts in a measure for the desperate resistance Douay's brigade at Weissenburg and MacMahon's corps at Woerth were able to offer to the immensely superior forces which attacked them.

It must be borne in mind, however, that the Chassepot, though superior to the needle-gun, has been proven inferior to many American and English breech-loading rifles. As we remarked before, the system on which both the French and German guns are made is bad. Experience has demonstrated the defectiveness of all breech-loading small arms in which paper cartridges are used, when opposed to similar arms charged with metallic cartridges, and simply because it is difficult to prevent the fouling of the breech apparatus with the first, and next to impossible for there to be any fouling with the second, if the breech piece be constructed on sound scientific principles.

In the matter of small arms our government has displayed much wisdom in selecting a weapon which is not only superior to the Chassepot and needle-gun, but also to the English Snider and any other breech-loader yet tested. One hundred thousand Americans armed with the Remington rifle, which has been adopted by the United States Navy, and officially reported for adoption by the Army, would be more than a match for a similar force of French, Germans or English, armed with their present weapons, if both armies were equal in artillery and generalship. The simplicity of its mechanism, its durability, its strength in resisting the recoil of the charge, its facility of execution, rapidity of firing and accuracy of range combine to make it probably the best military arm in the world. Such is the opinion of many of our army officers, including Generals Sherman, Sheridan and Schofield, and such also is the opinion of the Spanish, Swedish, Egyptian, Danish and, though too late, French governments, which have ordered large numbers, while rejecting native or European inventions. But if we even had no Remingtons we should still possess an advantage over the principal European nations in the matter of small arms. The converted Springfield, which is also used by our government; the Peabody, the Spencer and Winchester repeating rifles, and half a dozen others whose names we cannot recall to mind, are as much superior to the Chassepot, needle-gun and Snider as these latter are to the old muzzle-loader.

But while we are as safe as science can make us in our small arms, we are deficient in artillery. During the rebellion the favorite field pieces in our armies were the rifled Parrott and the Napoleon smooth bore. Both are undoubtedly good guns, but neither can compare with the breech-loading cannon used by the Germans. The correspondents, in their reports of battles fought between the French and Germans, have invariably stated that "before the French could even catch a glimpse of the enemy they were compelled to sustain a fearfully effective artillery fire," so great was the range of the German guns. In fact, the war in France has been decided by artillery. Formidable as is the French mitrailleuse, it cannot compete with the German rifled breech-loader. It certainly can fire a great many balls in an incredibly short space of time, but it is incapable of spreading the missiles which it discharges. These follow a single line and do not diverge; hence, unless the mitrailleuse be parked on a battle field, its effect is scarcely greater than that of canister thrown from a twelve-pounder Napoleon field piece at easy range. At long distances it is powerless when opposed to the German gun.

We have in the Gatling gun adopted for the army a mitrailleuse superior to that used by the French, but we have no breech-loading cannon. Of what avail, then, would be our superiority in small arms if our army went into battle supported by rifled Parrotts and Napoleon smooth-bore guns, if, as has been the case in France, it was opposed by a force armed with the same artillery used by the Germans? Clearly none. At the Springfield Armory the government is manufacturing Remingtons and converting the old muzzle-loading rifle on the Allin system; but it is doing nothing, so far as we are aware, to improve our artillery. It is true that there is no immediate prospect of our engaging in war with a foreign Power. The Alabama claims and fisheries questions will doubtless be amicably settled. But we know not at what time questions may arise and involve us in war. It will not do to wait till the contest is upon us before preparing to meet it. Our government should at once have our artillery recast and made equal to, if not better than, the German breech-loading cannon. In our artillery lies our military deficiency and our military weakness, which, if not remedied, may involve us in serious disasters.

Congress Enjoying a Half-Holiday—The Southern Pacific Railroad Bill Passed.

The masquerading folly to which the citizens of Washington have been abandoning themselves the last two days invaded the precincts of the Capitol and succeeded yesterday in luring away both houses from their legislative duties. First the pages were discharged from attendance, and then grave Senators and Representatives yielded to the temptation and adjourned in time to witness the grand procession of masqueraders. The House, however, was long enough in session to pass the Southern Pacific Railroad bill, granting away some thirteen million acres of the public lands. The bill provides for a single trunk line from the eastern boundary of Texas to the bay of San Diego, California.

The Senate, while in session, was engaged on the Legislative Appropriation bill. The proceedings were without interest or importance.

A LOCAL AND A DANGEROUS NUISANCE.—A son of our Superintendent of Police the other day had one of his eyes nearly knocked out by a snowball hurled at his head. Why don't Superintendent Kelso issue an order prohibiting the dangerous practice of snowballing in the public streets and avenues? During the height of the sleighing it was as much as one's life was worth for a man to take his family out on a quiet sleigh ride, in consequence of the discharge of volleys of these missiles, some of them composed of something heavier than snow, by gangs of vagrants. A number of accidents from runaway horses have been occasioned thereby. It was the late Superintendent Jourdan, we believe, who suppressed base ball playing in the public street. Why not put down the equally dangerous practice of deliberately pelting people with balls of snow and ice? Pedestrians and others have rights which the city authorities ought to respect, and this is one of them. It may be like locking the stable door after the snow is gone; but "better late than never."

WESTERN GAME AND WESTERN GAME LAWS.—How is it that while the Western game laws have been in force for a month or more our markets have been for some time overstocked with prairie chickens and other Western game? By the way, is the buffalo to be counted in as "game?" Buffalo meat is as plenty in New York at this time as common beef, and sells for less. Any one inclined to get up an extempore prairie dinner can go to Washington Market, buy his prairie chickens, his buffalo and antelope steaks, and, selecting a rasping, cold, wintry day, ride in the horse cars to Central Park—and camp out. The local authorities of the Park might furnish the necessary cooking utensils and some neighboring grocery the corn juice. Seriously, if these Western game laws are worth observing at all this is the time to enforce them; for the immense influx of immigrants into that section of the country, the building of railroads and other attendants upon the march of improvement in the present day will soon cause the valuable game of the region to disappear.

THE NEW WEST POINT BOARD OF VISITORS.—President Grant has appointed two men of peace—Rev. Mr. Sunderland and the Rev. Mr. Vincent—among the Board of Visitors this year to the West Point Military Academy. The names of no "wise men from the East" appear in the Board. It is probably the first time in many years that a New Englander has not figured in this annual West Point flummery. By the way, where is the report of the Congressional branch of the Commission last year, one of whom was General Logan? It has not yet been laid before Congress. Will it ever be?

Personal Intelligence.

Ex-Senator T. T. Davis, of Syracuse, has arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

State Senator George H. Sanford, of Oneida county, is sojourning at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Archdeacon Bond, of Montreal, is staying at the Brevoort House.

Mr. J. Ford Kent, of the United States Army, has taken quarters at the St. Denis Hotel.

Mr. John Dodson, ex-Mayor of Petersburg, Va., is stopping at the Grand Central Hotel.

Ex-State Senator O. A. Bills, is registered at the Metropolitan Hotel.

General Wickham and General Echols, of Virginia, are at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Colonel Jonas H. French and Colonel Seth E. Ferker, of Boston, are temporarily at the Grand Central Hotel.

Mr. J. Condit Smith, of New Jersey, is at the Fifth Avenue Hotel.

Colonel D. C. Houston, of the United States Army, is quartered at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Mr. John B. Gale, of Troy, is at the Fifth Avenue Hotel on a brief visit.

General Adolfo Varona is still at the Union Place Hotel. He was to have left in the steamer for St. Thomas yesterday, *en route* for Cuba, but failed to get on board in time. He will go to join his companions in arms by the next opportunity.

THE HERALD IN MARYLAND.

[From the St. Michaels (Md.) Comet and Advertiser, Feb. 13.]

The NEW YORK HERALD continues to be the leading newspaper of the United States for enterprise and success in all its news departments. It has had many competitors for the leadership, and thousands of money have been squandered in the vain effort to outstrip it in the race for the latest and most reliable news from all quarters of the globe. This leadership in the newspaper business has been earned by skill and enterprise and the most liberal use of money for correspondence, for telegrams, for expresses and for all the appliances by which time and space may be annihilated. May success continue to crown with laurels the unrivalled newsvander—the NEW YORK HERALD.

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THE PEACE QUESTION.

Herald Special Report from Paris.

The Greater Part of Lorraine to be Demanded.

Probable Prolongation of the Armistice.

South German Statesmen Conferring With Prussia on the Peace Terms.

A German, Not a Personal, Policy Expected from Bismarck.

The French Commissioners at Versailles.

Arrangement for the Payment of the Indemnity.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

I have received the following despatch from the NEW YORK HERALD correspondent in Paris, dated at noon on yesterday. He says:—

THE PEACE TERMS.

The terms of peace, so far as the Metz question is concerned, have been settled. The Lorraine line will be annexed to Germany, and will include all the territory on the right bank of the Moselle river, from Thionville to Pont-à-Mousson.

PROLONGATION OF THE ARMISTICE.

The French authorities are pressing for another prolongation of the armistice—this time till the 2d of March. Should it be granted, however, General Von Moltke insists upon the triumphal entry of the German troops into Paris on the 25th inst. Should the extension of the armistice be granted as seems probable, the meeting of the German Parliament at Berlin will have to be postponed.

THE FRENCH COMMISSIONERS.

On this subject the Paris correspondent of the London *Times* telegraphs that there is good authority for stating that the armistice will be renewed until the 1st of March. Jules Favre and the Peace Commissioners of the National Assembly are expected to arrive to-day for the purpose of discussing the terms of peace with Bismarck at Versailles.

THE INDEMNITY.

The period for paying one-half the war indemnity (the other half is to be cash) will be about five years.

Thiers, Favre and Picard at Versailles—South German Statesmen to Consider the Terms of Peace—What Germany Expects from Bismarck.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

I am enabled to report to the NEW YORK HERALD that MM. Thiers, Favre and Picard arrived at Paris yesterday and were to go to Versailles to-day.

SOUTH GERMANY INVITED TO A CONFERENCE.

A telegram from Carlsruhe dated to-day says that the Federal Chancellor, desirous of ascertaining the views of leading South German statesmen in regard to peace, has invited them to a conference. Herr Von Bray, the Bavarian Minister, has gone to Versailles in response to the invitation.

BISMARCK MUST PURSUE A GERMAN POLICY.

A telegram from Berlin dated to-day reports that the *Nord Deutsche Zeitung* says Bismarck does not follow a personal, but a German policy. He will be the most unpopular man in Germany if he does not bring the peace negotiations to an issue which the people, after their sacrifices, have a right to expect.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Expected Recognition by All the European States.

M. Buffet Appointed Finance Minister.

A NEW AMBASSADOR TO LONDON.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

I am enabled to inform the NEW YORK HERALD that all the European States will recognize the new French government.

THE FINANCE MINISTER.

M. Louis Joseph Buffet is the new Minister of Finance. He has arrived at Bordeaux, and his appointment was announced in the Assembly.

NEW AMBASSADOR TO LONDON.

The Duke de Broglie has been appointed Ambassador of France at London.

MORE AID FOR FRANCE.

It is a singular fact that while the good people of Newark, headed by Senator Frelinghuysen, Cortlandt Parker, George Peters, Rev. Father Doane and other prominent citizens, are holding meetings and urging that great Christian virtue, charity, as an excellent one to practice just now towards starving France, two of the largest harness firms have been toiling night and day for months past preparing large contracts for the French government, the agents of which seem to have fabulous sums of money at their command. It was only the day before yesterday that an order for 2,000 sets cavalry harness was received. The relief fund is increasing accordingly well for Newark.

PARIS.

Herald Special Report from the French Capital.

The City Becoming Gay and Animated.

All the Boulevards and Cafes Crowded.

Parisian Sentiment on the German Entry.

GENERAL RUSH TO THE FORTIFICATIONS.

Large Quantities of Provisions Arriving.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb, 21, 1871.

Under date of noon on yesterday the NEW YORK HERALD correspondent at Paris telegraphs me the following despatches:—

PARIS GETTING LIVELY.

The omnibuses are plying on the streets and are constantly crowded, but there are still few *voitures* to be seen. Private carriages, however, are reappearing in increasing numbers. The nights are bright and starlight, compensating for the absence of gas, which the city will continue deprived of for the next fifteen days.

THE HOTELS.

All the boulevards and cafés are crowded till ten o'clock at night, and then they are deserted except by the Gardes Mobiles of the provinces detained in Paris as prisoners of war. The hotels have been re-established and the *table d'hote* prices are moderating. The Grand Hotel is undergoing a process of fumigation. It is said that it will reopen for business next month.

THE GERMAN ENTRY.

The general topic of conversation among all classes is the probable entry of the Germans into Paris. A general hope is expressed that the event will pass off without any disturbance or hostile manifestation.

CENTRES OF ATTRACTION.

Yesterday and to-day (February 19 and 20) were exceedingly fine. The streets are now crowded. The fortifications are the general point of attraction; but no one is allowed to enter the Bois de Boulogne. At the Champs Elysées and other places hundreds are busy digging up the roots of trees which were cut down during the siege for fuel. On the avenues radiating from the Arc de Triomphe the barricades still remain, but the process of removing them has commenced. Crowds of persons have visited Pont Anjou, where the shells fell thickest during the siege.

THE WOUNDED.

Thirty patients have been discharged from the hospital of the American Ambulance Corps. Fifty still remain, who mostly comprise men who have suffered amputation of limbs.

TO BE TRIED.

Seven French officers belonging to the garrison of Paris are to be tried by court martial for abandoning their post in the presence of the enemy in the affair at Villacorard.

PROVISIONS.

Provisions continue to arrive in great quantities.

The Triumphal Entry—Fuel Scarce—Provisions Arrivals—Rothschild to the Rescue—The National Guards—Privations.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Times* telegraphs the following news, which I forward especially for the NEW YORK HERALD. He says:—

THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY.

No day has yet been fixed for the triumphal entry of the German forces into Paris.

PROVISIONS RECEIVED.

The scarcity of fuel is much felt in Paris. The Great Northern Railway is sharing its supply with the city. Since the 3d instant 14,352 oxen, 15,352 sheep, 1,776 cows, 3,768 pigs, 20,000,991 kilogrammes of grain, 29,327,580 kilogrammes of flour and 9,190,029 kilogrammes of biscuits have been received in Paris.

ROTHSCHILD TO THE RESCUE.

M. Rothschild, the millionaire, has advanced the sum of 800,000 francs to pay the war contribution imposed on St. Denis.

THE NATIONAL GUARDS.

General Vinoy has issued an order for the National Guards to deliver up all company material. There is great grumbling in consequence of the stoppage of the pay of the National Guards.

SCARCITY OF FUEL.

The greatest privation is still felt owing to the high price and scarcity of fuel. There have been large arrivals of coal in the city, but it has been eagerly bought up in quantities by the rich.

THE PARIS CLUBS.

How War Disturbs the Social Circle.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

As a curious instance of the local consequences of the war between France and Prussia, and anticipatory of the many avengements which will ensue from the struggle, I have to mention the fact that in Paris the Jockey and Rue Royale Clubs have resolved that "all candidates of German birth shall be excluded."

GENERAL REPORTS.

Herald Special Report from Paris.

COMPLAINTS OF GERMAN EXACTIONS.

Condition of the Emperor of Germany.

HIS HEALTH EXCITES GRAVE ANTICIPATIONS.

Swiss Precautions With the French Prisoners.

Return of the German Crown Prince to Versailles.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The NEW YORK HERALD correspondent at Paris telegraphs the following news under date of to-day:—

GERMAN EXACTIONS.

Great complaint is made of the heaviness of the requisitions imposed by Germans as the price of the armistice In Calvados 190,000 francs have been demanded. At Ferdaques the demand was exceedingly large, and, not being paid, it is stated that the Mayor of the place and the Countess Montgomery were taken as hostages for the money.

Bad Health of the Emperor—Movements of German Troops—Swiss Precautions—More Contributions—Sea Captains Released—General Items.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

For the information of the readers of the NEW YORK HERALD I report that the London *Standard* is informed that the health of the Emperor of Germany leads to grave anticipations.

GERMANS JOINING THEIR REGIMENTS.

The *Telegraph* has a despatch from Saarbruck which says all the German wounded capable of rejoining their regiments are being sent to the front. There is a large assemblage of troops at Cologne.

SWITZERLAND TAKING PRECAUTIONS.

A despatch from Geneva dated to-day reports that a number of French soldiers who surrendered to the Swiss troops on entering our territory have been sent under guard to the eastern cantons, to prevent their escape into France.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS.

A despatch from Havre says the city of Alençon having refused to pay a fresh contribution demanded by the Germans, the Mayor and ten Councillors have been held as hostages.

RELEASED.

A Bremen despatch of to-day's date states that the German sea captains taken prisoners by the French and released have reached Orleans on their way home.

GENERAL ITEMS.

The Crown Prince of Prussia has returned to Versailles from Tours, after four days' absence.

The London mails for Paris are now forwarded by way of Calais.

The London *Daily News* says there are seventeen vessels in the French port of Dunkirk, all formidably armed.

FRENCH LOSSES IN ONE MONTH.

A despatch from Berlin says that official returns received at the War Office there show that during the month of January the French lost 800 pieces of artillery and 350,000 men. Of the latter Chanzy lost 25,000; Raye, 12,000; Faidherbe, 11,000; Bourbaki, 30,000; the Army of Paris, 150,000, and of the Army of the East 80,000 entered Switzerland. The loss of the Germans during the same month was 10,000.

REMODELLING THE NATIONAL GUARD.

The National Guard in Paris is to be dissolved and thoroughly remodelled before the Germans enter the city.

ORDERED TO LEAVE.

The Prefect of Nice has ordered all Garibaldian volunteers to leave that city.

HUNGARIAN CONSTITUTIONALISM.

Non-Intervention in the East—Still Neutral Between France and Prussia.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

PESTH, Feb. 21, 1871.

The principle of non-intervention in the affairs of other countries is still maintained by the Hungarians.

During the sitting of the lower house of the Austro-Hungarian Parliament in this city yesterday, a declaration was made by the government to the effect that "interference with the internal affairs of Roumania was not intended, so long as the other Powers are agreed upon the principle of non-intervention."

The statement was also made that intervention in the Franco-Prussian war could not well be effected by the government.

RUSSIA.

Sanitary Precaution Against the Consequences of the War.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21, 1871.

I am enabled to state that in consequence of apprehensions which are entertained of the outbreak of an epidemic in Europe the Russian government has ordered reports to be made by its agents of the sanitary condition of the countries affected by the war between France and Germany.

Should the reports render it advisable Russia will propose a sanitary conference

LUXEMBOURG.

Herald Special Report from Paris.

Prussia to Receive an Indemnity for Breach of Neutrality.

The Fortress to be Garrisoned by Prussian Troops.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The London *Times* correspondent in Paris telegraphs that paper the following intelligence, dated yesterday, which I forward specially for the NEW YORK HERALD. He says:—

PRUSSIA AND LUXEMBOURG.

The Paris *Gaulois* states that the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg undertakes to pay to Prussia the sum of 2,000,000 francs as indemnity for breach of neutrality during the war. It also agrees to permit Prussian troops to garrison the fortress of Luxembourg.

THE ENGLISH PARLIAMENT.

The Church Reform—Diplomatic Representation in France.

TELEGRAMS TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The attention of the members of the House of Lords to-night was mainly occupied with the consideration of the Ecclesiastical Titles bill and minor measures of local importance.

Earl Granville, in defending the act of withdrawal of the British Legation from Paris, said Lord Lyons, her Majesty's Minister in France, could better serve the interests of English residents outside than within the walls of the French capital.

Mr. Gladstone replying to the inquiries and attacks of Mr. Johnson and other members, explained that the expressions used by him in his letter to Dr. Deasy were never intended to refer to the habitual character of the Pope. He said he simply advocated the personal freedom of the Pope as the head of a religion, professed by many British subjects, and he proceeded to defend his course at length.

Mr. Bright's Legislative Career—His Health Improving.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

With respect to the condition of Mr. John Bright's health, I am enabled to report to the HERALD by cable that a statement which has been circulated to the effect that Mr. John Bright is likely to return shortly to his Parliamentary duties is not well founded. He will not probably resume his duties at this session, and his reappearance in the House is most likely to be preceded by a visit to his constituents.

Mr. Bright's health is progressing steadily toward restoration notwithstanding.

Recruit for the Liberals.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

At a Parliamentary election just held in the city of Norwich the voters returned Mr. Colman, liberal, to the House of Commons.

THE BRITISH ARMY.

A New Plan of Military Reform—Premier Gladstone Defeats It.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb 21, 1871.

The army estimates statistics, which were submitted to the House of Commons by the Ministry immediately after the opening of the session of Parliament by the Queen, and which were reported by cable to the HERALD at the moment, continue to engross the serious attention of the political leaders.

In the House of Commons this evening Mr. Trevelyan introduced a resolution favoring army reorganization on a plan different from that proposed by the government.

A lengthy debate followed, which was closed by Mr. Secretary at War Cardwell in an eloquent speech against the resolution.

The House divided and the motion was lost, there being a majority of 118 against it.

AUSTRIAN IMPERIALISM.

Legislative Exposition to Parliament—Constitutional Government—The Foreign Relations.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

VIENNA, Feb. 21, 1871.

By telegrams addressed to the HERALD from Vienna, under date of 20th inst., I am enabled to inform your readers by cable report that the Austrian Legislature (Reichsrath) reassembled in session yesterday.

The new Ministry were present and the Cabinet statement was submitted to the members.

It appears from this exhibit that the government will abide by the constitution, but is willing to initiate measures for the alleviation of any unnecessary restrictions upon the autonomy of the provinces of the empire.

The *Freidenblatt* (newspaper) says "the relations of Austria with Russia and Prussia are unaffected by the change of government in Vienna."

The Wiener *Press* makes the statement that Prince Metternich is anxious to secure the Embassy to London.

THE POPE AND THE PEOPLES

Will the Pontiff Leave Rome?

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 21, 1871.

I have heard it asserted to-day that negotiations are pending between the Court of Rome and the Catholic party here for the transfer of the seat of the Holy See from Rome to Belgium.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.—LONDON, Feb. 21—4.30 P. M.—Consols closed at 92 for both money and the account. American securities easier. United States five-twenty bonds, 1862, 91; 1865, old, 90¾; 1867, 89½; ten-forties, 87¾. Erie Railway shares, 19¾; Illinois Centrals, 108; Atlantic and Great Western, 32.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21—4.30 P. M.—The market closed firmer. Middling uplands, 7¾d. a 7¾d.; middling Orleans, 7¾d. a 8d. The sales of the day have been 12,000 bales, including 2,000 for export and speculation. The very latest report of the market reads thus:—"Cotton to arrive is firmer, and prices have advanced a trifle."

TRADE AT MANCHESTER.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21—4.30 P. M.—The market for yarns and fabrics at Manchester is firm.

LIVERPOOL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21—2 P. M.—Wheat—California white, 10s. 7d. The receipts of wheat for the last three days foot up 34,000 quarters, of which 25,000 quarters were American.

LIVERPOOL PROVISIONS MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21—4.30 P. M.—Bacon, 50s. per cwt. for Cumberland cut. Pork, 67s. 6d. Lard, 63s. 6d. Bacon, 52s. for short rib middles.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE MARKET.—LIVERPOOL, Feb 21—2 P. M.—Turpentine, 27s. 6d. a 28s. per cwt.

LONDON PRODUCE MARKET.—LONDON, Feb. 21.—Clover seed, 50s. 6d. a 55s. per cwt. for American red. Linseed oil, £38 per ton. Refined petroleum, 17d. a 17½d. per gallon.

PETROLEUM MARKET.—ANTWERP, Feb. 21—Petroleum, 51f. for standard white.

THE COTTON MOVEMENT.

Cargoes of American Cotton Landed at Liverpool February 20 and 21.

Vessel.	From.	Day of Sailing.	No. Bales.
Steamship Batavia	New York	Feb. 3	1,419
Ship Huron	Savannah	Jan. 12	Not stated
Ship Teputo	New Orleans	Jan. 12	1,236
Ship Escori	New York	Jan. 30	1,559
Ship Melbile	New Orleans	Jan. 4	2,015
Bark Sarah Douglas	Galveston	Jan. 7	1,270
Total bales			10,499

THE SPANISH CROWN.

Herald Special Report from Madrid.

Queen Maria Victoria, Amadeus' Wife, at the Point of Death.

HER MAJESTY STRICKEN WITH FEVER.

The Case Pronounced Hopeless by the Physicians, and the Clergy at Her Bedside.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

I received a special HERALD telegram letter from Madrid at an early hour this morning which reports news of very melancholy interest, not only for his Majesty Amadeus, King of the Spaniards, but also to those of the peoples of other countries who sympathize with him in his new undertaking in the *rôle* of royalism.

QUEEN MARIA'S LIFE DESPAIRED OF.

The HERALD correspondent dates in the Spanish capital on Monday, February 20, and writes the following despatch for transmission by the cable to New York:—

He says:—Her Majesty the Queen of Spain, Maria Victoria Charlotte Henrietta, wife of King Amadeus, who has just landed on the soil of Spain, lies at this moment dangerously ill with miliary fever in the town of Alassio.

The sudden advent of this fever, caused, as I understand, by an eruption from the sebaceous glands of the skin, is considered very dangerous in this climate.

The attendant physicians, as I have been informed, regard the case as hopeless of recovery, in consequence of the excessively excitable nervous temperament of the Queen, and the physical exhaustion which she sustained during her journey from Florence.

Her Majesty has been visited by the clergy and just received—afternoon of the 20th instant—the last sacraments of the Catholic Church.

During the evening the medical bulletins which were issued reporting the condition of the Queen's health announced that her strength was failing hourly, and just now, at the latest moment before forwarding my despatch for the HERALD—eleven o'clock night of 20th—there prevails a very general report of her death.

SPANISH CONSPIRACY.

Herald Special Report from Madrid.

Plot for the Murder of Senor Zorilla, President of the Cortes.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The special correspondent of the HERALD in Madrid telegraphs the following news for transmission by cable telegram to New York:—

He dates in Madrid, on the 20th inst., and says:—Several persons, who are suspected by the authorities of having been engaged in a conspiracy which had for its object the assassination of Señor Ruiz Zorilla, President of the Cortes, have been arrested by the police and placed in prison in the city.

Señor Zorilla lately transmitted to Florence two hundred piastres as a subscription to the fund which is being raised in that city for the purpose of erecting a statue to Savonarola.

CUBA.

A Railroad Bridge Destroyed by the Rebels—An Important Engagement and Defeat of the Rebels—No Expedition Landed at Vuelta Abajo—Earthquake at Santiago de Cuba.

HAVANA, Feb. 21, 1871.

The insurgents have destroyed the Enomitano Railroad bridge between Santiago de Cuba and Villa del Cobre.

An engagement of some importance has taken place at Manacas del Abragrande, in the jurisdiction of Moron, between 600 or 700 insurgents, commanded by Boitel. The insurgents were defeated, and had fifteen killed. The Spaniards had two killed. The insurgents were awaiting the arrival of Salome Hernandez, with 400 men and one cannon from Camagnay, with the purpose of attacking isolated Spanish detachments and protecting the disembarkment of the Quesada expedition.

No expedition has landed at Vuelta Abajo.

A despatch from Santiago de Cuba received to-day, states that several shocks of earthquake were felt there yesterday and to-day, but no damage was done. Shocks of earthquake were felt at Trinidad de Cuba last week.

REPORTED SHIPWRECK

Wreck of a British Ship, Said to be Carrying Provisions to France.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The following telegram was received this afternoon from Halifax, N. S., dated February 21, 1871 and addressed to Hon. J. C. B. Davis, Assistant Secretary of State:—

The British ship Zoe, from Boston, bound to Paris, with provisions contributed by American citizens, was wrecked last night on Bell Rock, near Halifax. The vessel and cargo are reported to be a total loss.

NOTE.—We have no knowledge of any such vessel as the British ship Zoe having loaded provisions contributed by Americans in Boston for France. The United States steamer Worcester and the United States ship Supply, the former at Boston and the latter at this port, are the vessels employed upon this duty, and neither of them have yet sailed.—ED. HERALD.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS ITEMS.

At South Clinton, Iowa, on Sunday morning, a dwelling house was destroyed by fire and two children were burned to death.

J. S. Keator's saw mill at Moline, Ill., was burned yesterday. Loss $20,000.

The Fourth Presbyterian church of Chicago on Monday night elected Rev. David Loving pastor, at a salary of $15,000 a year.

Five men while pushing an empty freight car along the track of the Chicago and Alton Railroad, in Chicago, yesterday, were run down by a switch engine and all the men seriously injured.

Yesterday afternoon Ada Sarle, a servant girl in a hotel at East Liberty, Pa., was fatally shot by an unknown person, who fired through the window. The girl refused to give the name of her assassin.

AMUSEMENTS.

FORREST'S "RICHELIEU."—At the Fourteenth Street theatre "King Lear" has given place this week to "Richelieu;" and although the supposition of rivalry between the veteran American tragedian and Mr. Booth is especially disclaimed, it is impossible to avoid noticing the difference between the two impersonations. Both are great, but they represent schools of acting diametrically opposite. Booth adheres to the severely classic style, both in action and elocution, while Forrest frequently verges upon the freedom of melodrama. In his elocution he is often merely colloquial, and he avails himself of many artifices of accent and expression, which, though certainly sufficiently common in actual life, are not generally introduced into legitimate drama. However opposed such a rendering may be to stage traditions, it is certainly not lacking in power. Energy, wonderful and magically impressive, is indeed the leading feature of Forrest's genius, and advancing years have robbed him as yet of but little of his ancient force. The house was carried away captive by the spell of his marvelous power, and broke out again and again into uncontrollable outbursts of applause. At present, however, the piece loses much by the feebleness of the support given to the main part. With the exception of Mr. Hill, as De Mauprat, the entire cast is lamentably weak. The mounting also compares very unfavorably with the splendor and costliness of Booth's theatre. Still, in spite of many defects, New York playgoers will doubtless be glad to enjoy the opportunity of seeing once more so great an artist as Forrest in what some have looked upon as his greatest part.

STADT THEATER.—Last evening Madame Seebach gave an admirable representation of the character of Fanchon, the Cricket (Die Grille). The theatre was filled in all its parts by a highly intelligent audience, who expressed their delight by frequent and spontaneous applause. In the conception and presentation of this character Madame Seebach has not been surpassed by any actress within our recollection. Her impersonation was replete with flashes of genius, and it was marked by that soft blending of light and shade which gives life and individuality to a character. The performance was from every standpoint a complete success, and her acting the more admirable from its perfect simplicity and from the skill with which slight gestures and movements equally slight were fraught with significance and converted into distinct signs of emotion and passion. She represented Fanchon as the wild and impulsive child of nature, who, from her inherent goodness and under the softening influence of love, is gradually transformed into a gentle maiden. She was equally felicitous in the comic as in the serious scenes, and the subdued pathos with which she invested the character in the last act found a sympathetic response in the hearts of the audience. Other actresses have exaggerated the eccentricities of the vixenish Fanchon. Madame Seebach does never overstep the modesty of nature. There are no sharp angles, but the character is left to its natural development. She was especially fine in the scene of the third act, where she is maddened and convulsed with tears by the scoffs of the village beauties and rushes out in order to give vent to her pent-up feelings. Mme. Seebach found very able support in Mlle. Veneta, who gave a vigorous and life-like representation of the shrewd old grandmother, Fadet. Mlle. Bissinger, a charming actress, gave a good rendering of Madelon, the village beauty. The other characters were satisfactorily performed. The comedy of Anna Lise is announced for this evening, with Mme Seebach in the title *rôle*. She will take her benefit next Saturday, when the comedy of "Tears and Laughter" (*Der Eine weint, der Andere lacht*) and the drama of "After the Battle of Sedan" will be performed.

PARK THEATRE, BROOKLYN.—For the first time in the City of Churches Howard's comedy of "Saratoga" was presented Monday at the above theatre. There was a larger audience than is usual in even a crowded house, and the comedy was evidently thoroughly enjoyed by the crowd. "Saratoga" has been played for nearly three months in New York, and, therefore, it cannot be quite a stranger even to Brooklyn. It is one of the comedies of the Robertson school, eminently illustrative of social life, and comes out very strong in the portrayal of the national follies of the Americans. The specialty Monday night was the appearance of Miss Minnie Conway as Effie Rivington, and it derived considerable interest from the evident fact that both nature and art combined to favor her in the representation of a typical American girl. Budding womanhood, that is specially remarkable for its beauty, is always attractive, but when added to that is the enchanting devilry of an innocent wickedness, that seems en hellpo the manner born, the attractiveness speedily becomes fascination. Mr. Lamb's "make up" as Bob Sackett was sufficient to bring down the house when he presented himself on the stage, and his realization of the character was fully equal to his former successful efforts. This comedy is very attractive to a city that is peculiarly attached to social life and the habits of home. We should therefore expect that the piece will have a very long run.

THE ARKANSAS IMPEACHMENT TRIALS.

The Senate Still Without a Quorum—Governor Clayton Notified of his Impeachment—Government Troops Detailed to Preserve Order.

MEMPHIS, Feb. 21, 1871.

A Little Rock special says:—

The situation is at present little changed. The Senate met at ten o'clock, at which time seven Senators were present and nineteen absent.

On motion of Mr. Carroll the Secretary was instructed to notify Governor Clayton and Chief Justice McClure that articles of impeachment would be presented against them by the House, which the Secretary performed. Governor Clayton remarked to him that he would receive the notice, but not officially. No further business was transacted in the Senate.

In the House Mr. Chamberlin introduced a bill to provide for the coming vacancy in the office of Governor. The bill authorizes the Legislature to order an election in case of a vacancy, and if a vacancy occurs when the Legislature is not in session the Secretary of State is authorized to convene that body. The bill was ordered to be printed in a week.

A bill appointing a committee of three to ascertain where the absent members of the Senate were, and to report them to the House and to their own families, was declared out of order.

In the Supreme Court to-day the motion made yesterday by counsel of Lieutenant Governor Johnson for a trial by jury, under the fourteenth amendment, was overruled, after which the court adjourned till to-morrow, owing to the indisposition of Justice Gregg. Johnson's counsel will appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, and if the appeal is refused a writ of error will be preferred from the District Court.

The following despatch has been received by the commandant of the post:—

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb 14, 1871.

COMMANDANT OFFICER LITTLE ROCK.—It is reported there are indications of a riot at Little Rock. The President instructs you to keep troops on hand to suppress and quiet the factions if a disturbance arise. Troops not to be used to aid any party in the contest between the Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State, but only to preserve order. Acknowledge receipt immediately and report your action.

E. D. TOWNSEND, Adjutant General.

VIEWS OF THE PAST.

FEBRUARY 22.

1848—The revolutionary riots commenced in Paris, barricades were thrown up, the prisons opened and the Palace of the Tuileries sacked by the mob.
1847—Battle of Buena Vista, Mexico, commenced.
1846—Revolution commenced at Cracow, Poland.
1732—George Washington born.

Died.

REID.—On Tuesday, February 21, at 211 South Eighth street, Jersey City, WILLIAM JOSEPH, eldest son of James J. and Mary E. Reid.

Funeral at three o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

[*For other Deaths see Ninth Page.*]

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THE COURTS.

Equity Calendar—Charge of Perjury—A Will Suit—Action for False Imprisonment—Business in the Court of General Sessions.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

The Equity Calendar.

The equity calendar of this court for the February term (except appeals in equity and reviews in bankruptcy from the District Court) will be held by Judge Blatchford in the District Court room on Monday, February 27, at eleven o'clock A. M., and cases on it will be assigned to be heard by him during the two weeks commencing March 20.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

Charge of Perjury.

Before Commissioner Shields.

The United States vs. Alexander Cristalar.—Defendant had been charged with committing perjury in a bankruptcy case. He was arrested some time since and released on bail of $10,000. His bail ran out. Yesterday he appeared before the Commissioner and renewed it to appear for trial when called.

Alleged Counterfeiter.

The United States vs. James Harper.—The defendant, who keeps a liquor saloon at 298 Green street, Jersey City, was held for examination by the Commissioner on a charge of having attempted to pass a fifty and a twenty-five cent stamp upon a saloon keeper in Grand street, New York—one Indien—in payment for drinks. It is claimed that the defendant, when arrested, attempted to destroy other bogus stamps which he had in his pocket.

A Cigar Case.

Before Commissioner Davenport.

The United States vs. Charles Eggerding.—Defendant, a cigar manufacturer and dealer in the Bowery, has been held to await the action of the Grand Jury on a charge of having packed cigars in boxes that had been previously used.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Suit Between Two Sisters, Growing Out of Their Mother's Will.

Before Judge Sutherland.

Sarah C. Hatch vs. Clara M. Pinguet.—The facts connected with this suit having been fully given in the HERALD in an action brought before the Supreme Court, Special Term, it is unnecessary to recapitulate the entire details. The plaintiff and defendant are sisters, and daughters of Dr. Hogan, who died in this city several years since. Their mother, who survived her husband, died April 20, 1867. There is a third daughter, but she has retired to a convent and is no party to the present proceedings, which are brought to set aside the will of Mrs. Hogan and a deed of hers giving and conveying the bulk of her estate to the defendant. The property comprises real estate on Madison avenue and in Macdougal, Eleventh street and other streets of the city, the whole constituting a valuable estate. Nothing whatever was given to the plaintiff. It is claimed on behalf of the plaintiff that the will and deed were procured through undue influences upon the deceased by the defendant and her husband, Dr. Pinguet, with whom she lived several years prior to her death. Mr. Boswell D. Hatch, the well known lawyer, is husband of the plaintiff, and, after the death of Dr. Hogan, had charge of the estate for several years, and under his management, it is claimed, raised it from a condition of mere solvency to paying a rental of $25,000 a year. It is quite a mixed up case, and the trial, which began yesterday, promises to be one of unusual interest as well as length. The Court sat till five P. M. listening to the opening of the case by the plaintiff's counsel, ex-Judge Cowles, with whom are also associated Mr. Edwards Pierrepont and Mr. Stoughton. There is a goodly array of counsel on the other side, including the Coudert Brothers and Messrs. Stewart, Lane & Thomas.

A Superintendent Paid for Services.

Wilson vs. McLean & Lints.—In this case, the particulars of which were reported yesterday, being a suit to recover $2,000 for alleged services in superintending the construction of two steamers for the defendants, the jury gave a verdict yesterday for the plaintiff. The verdict was for $2,910, covering interest and costs of suit.

MARINE COURT—PART I.

An Action for False Imprisonment.

Before Judge Joachimsen.

John Reid vs. Henry Kearney.—This was an action for false imprisonment and malicious prosecution, damages being laid at $1,000. The plaintiff claimed that on the charge, of which he was innocent, of purloining twenty-five cents from the till of defendant's grocery store, he was arrested, locked up in a cell at the Charles street police station and hailed to appear at the Special Sessions; that on his subsequently being brought there, no person appearing against him, he was discharged. The defence was that one of the employés in the store, having seen plaintiff take some small sum, he was directed to watch him; that he did so and after counting the cash on hand one morning and leaving defendant alone in the store a moment, on his return he found this sum missing; that this was communicated to defendant, when he caused his arrest. As a reason for non-appearance in court defendant stated that he was delayed in coming down with his witness, and that he arrived just in time to see Reid coming out of court after his discharge. The case was summed up at considerable length by ex-Recorder Smith for plaintiff and J. G. Boyd for defendant. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $100.

A Boat Case.

Reynolds vs. Wright et al.—The plaintiff hired his boat to defendants for the purpose of transporting merchandise at a stipulated price per day. The question in the case was whether defendants were liable for certain days when the boat lay unemployed, defendants claiming that the custom was in their favor. The plaintiff testified that he was towed to Communipaw by defendant's order, with the assurance that he should lose nothing by the delay. Judgment for plaintiff, $755 90, with costs and allowance.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART I.

An Excavation Accident.

Before Judge Joseph F. Daly and a Jury.

Samuel D. Borton vs. Patrick McDonald.—In this case, which was to recover damages for falling into an unprotected and unlighted excavation adjoining the sidewalk in Bleecker street, the facts of which have already appeared in the HERALD, the jury have found a verdict in favor of the defendant.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before Recorder Hackett.

EMPANELLING OF THE GRAND JURY—A BATCH OF THIEVES SENT TO THE STATE PRISON BY THE RECORDER.

The Grand Jury entered upon the discharge of their duties yesterday. Mr. Charles H. Fellows was appointed foreman.

Before Mr. Sullivan proceeded with the regular calendar a number of prisoners were arraigned, some of whom pleaded guilty to the charges preferred against them.

Walter Callaghan pleaded guilty to grand larceny in stealing a silver watch and hat, worth forty-eight dollars, on the 19th of January, from Paul Unkrunt. There were two charges against him, and the Recorder imposed the full penalty, which was five years in the State Prison.

John Ennis, jointly indicted with Theodore J. Johnson, charged in burglariously entering the premises of August T. Leitheiser, 40 East Eighteenth street, and stealing $204 worth of clothing, pleaded guilty. He was sent to the Sing Sing Prison for four years and six months.

John Williams, who, on the 6th inst., stole thirty-four shirts valued at forty dollars, the property of Oliver Dolins, pleaded guilty to grand larceny. Four years in the State Prison was the sentence.

John Irvine pleaded guilty to a similar crime in stealing, on the 3d of this month, a gold watch, valued at seventy-five dollars, from Robert Jones. He was sent to the State Prison for three years and six months.

Michael Fox, a professional pickpocket, pleaded guilty to petty larceny from the person. On the 6th inst. he stole a silver watch, with fifteen dollars, from John Charlton while he was looking at a procession in the Bowery. The Recorder has no sympathy with the light-fingered gentry, and consequently sent Fox to the State Prison for four years and six months.

William Byrnes was charged with stealing a chest of tea, valued at fifty-five dollars, on the 9th of February, from the store of John Lee, 472 Hudson street. He was sent to the State Prison for two years.

David Benjamin pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny. He stole eighty dollars worth of clothing from Margaret Shea on the 11th inst. As the property was returned the sentence was modified to eighteen months' incarceration in the State Prison.

James Walsh, who was implicated with James Murphy in stealing a set of light harness on the 25th of January from Charles Newman, pleaded guilty to an attempt, and was remanded for sentence.

James Armstrong pleaded guilty to assault and battery, the charge being that on the 26th of September he cut Henry Hess with a small knife. He was sent to the Penitentiary for three months.

Peter Oakes and Daniel Brown were tried upon a charge of stealing a bearskin robe from Henry Clews' sleigh on the 24th of January. Mr. Howland appeared for the defendants. The evidence not being sufficient to establish their guilt the jury rendered a verdict of acquittal.

Frederick C. Leffis, who was the foreman of the Knickerbocker Ice Company, pleaded guilty to one indictment charging him with embezzling fifty-two dollars from the company on the 7th of October. There were three charges against him, the aggregate amount stolen being $1,400. The accused fled from the city, and was brought back from the South under a requisition. Counsel asked to have the sentence postponed till Friday.

John White and John Lofters (boys) pleaded guilty to stealing sixty dollars' worth of dry goods, on the 18th of November, the property of Slocum & Furman. The Recorder sent them to the House of Refuge.

ANOTHER DIAMOND ROBBER SENT TO THE STATE PRISON.

Richard N. Rice was tried and convicted of a darling grand larceny. The evidence showed that on the evening of the 22d of December the prisoner and a man named Henderson went into the jewelry store of William Mott, 315 Hudson street, and asked to look at a diamond cross, and while standing at the counter a confederate rushed into the store, snatched the cross and jumped into a wagon and escaped. Henderson was convicted last month and sent to the State Prison for five years.

The prisoner defended himself, and from his impudent demeanor convinced the jury that he was a bad fellow. His associate, who is arrested by Captain McDonnell, was found in possession of skeleton keys, and Rice had a number of blank checks. The prisoner said that his father was the Superintendent of the Michigan Central Railroad, and was worth $40,000,000; that he himself had an income of $9,000 a year, and that if he had had time he would have produced Vanderbilt and Fisk to show who he was. Assistant District Attorney Sullivan cross-questioned him severely. He said he never went by the name of Sweeny; had seen a man called "Dan the Snatcher;" didn't know Dan Noble, and declined to answer whether he knew a man named Price. The jury convicted Rice without leaving their seats, and the Recorder promptly sentenced him to the State Prison for five years.

Dr. Christian Wuest was tried upon a charge of grand larceny, Adolph Conrad alleging that on the 1st of September last the accused took some furniture from 95½ Cannon street to a house in Essex street. The testimony showed that a misunderstanding arose between the parties, growing out of domestic infelicities, the complainant charging that his wife lived with Dr. Wuest and left him. He admitted that she had to seek Dr. Wuest's protection when he (Conrad) attempted to kill her. The accused proved his good character and the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Michael Donnelly was convicted of an assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to do bodily harm, he having cut Charles Hampman in the shoulder with a pocket knife, at a coffee saloon in Bayard street. He was remanded for sentence.

George Wilson pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, having stolen forty dollars' worth of sewing silk, on the 16th of January, the property of Deppler & Kammerer. He was sent to the Penitentiary for one year.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE COURTS.

To-day being a legal holiday all branches of the different courts have adjourned until to-morrow.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, Feb. 21, 1871.

The following decisions were rendered in the Court of Appeals February 21, 1871.

Judgments affirmed with costs—Adams vs. Blancan, Kelly vs. Falconer, Farrington vs. Russell, Parmelee vs. Thompson, Britton vs. Lorenzo, Willetts vs. Sun Mutual Insurance Company, Litchfield vs. Johnson, Frink & Thompson.

Judgments reversed and new trials granted—Stith vs. Moorehouse, Durnell vs. Moorehouse, Leroy vs. Market Insurance Company.

Judgment of Supreme Court reversed and judgment ordered for plaintiff, with costs—Doupe vs. Genin.

Order of Superior Court of the City of New York reversing judgment and granting new trial reversed, and judgment on report of referee affirmed, with costs—Coleman vs. Eyre.

Following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for February 22, 1871:—Nos. 124, 105, 138, 142, 148, 38, 116, 153.

THE CASE OF THE SHIP NEPTUNE.

The Charge Against Captain Peabody and His Mates—Fearful Suffering at Sea.

The further hearing of this case was resumed yesterday before Commissioner John A. Shields. Mr. Robert Andrews appeared as counsel for the defendants. Mr. De Kay represented the District Attorney. Inasmuch as the particulars of this remarkable charge, when they were first published, attracted a great deal of attention and excited much indignation in the public mind, we feel it due to the interests of justice to give an extended report of the evidence, embracing the sworn statements of several of the witnesses for the prosecution, one of whom yesterday testified that he had got frostbitten on the voyage; that he had held his frostbitten hand to the fire, and that, after that, the little finger of his left hand dropped off. For the present the public will judge for themselves whether the testimony, so far as it has been given, bears for or against the accused.

CONTINUATION OF THE CROSS-EXAMINATION OF EDWARD REISS, ONE OF THE COLORED SEAMEN OF THE NEPTUNE.

Q. You said that the mate struck you at the topsail halyards—what mate, first or second? A. First mate, and he then took me into the cabin.

Q. Was the captain in the cabin then? A. No; the mate took me in his private room; it was his own room, in the cabin.

Q. How did the mate punish you there? A. Striking me blows with his fist and kicks with his foot; there was no one else there but us two.

Q. Was this before or after the captain put something on your hands? A. Before.

Q. Was it the same day the captain put something on your hands? A. It was not the day the mate took me into the cabin that the captain gave me something to put on my hands.

Q. When was it? A. It was the following morning; it was in the cabin the captain dressed my hands; I went to the cabin alone and the captain dressed one of my hands; he gave me something to put on my hand.

Q. Did the captain strike you immediately after dressing your hand? A. No.

Q. When was it the captain struck you in the face with his hand? A. The day after the day upon which my hand was dressed.

Q. Where were you when the captain struck you that day? A. In the cabin; there was no one present.

Q. What time was it then? A. About ten in the morning.

Q. Is this the time the captain told you to go forward to the pump? A. Yes.

Q. Why did you go to the cabin that morning? A. I went there to have my hand dressed.

Q. Was your hand frozen at that time? A. No.

Q. What was the matter with it? A. The hand was inflamed.

Q. What made it inflamed? A. A blow received on the wrist.

Q. From what? A. It was due to a blow received from the first mate.

Q. When did you receive that blow? A. It was on the occasion when the first mate struck me at the topsail halyard.

Q. Was your hand swollen when you went up to reef the main topsail? A. It was.

Q. Was it not inflamed then? A. It was inflamed.

Q. Was not the striking done by the mate after you had reefed the main topsail? A. The reefing was finished before the mate struck me.

Q. How many days before you went up to reef the main topsail had your hand been inflamed? A. Four days.

Q. Had you complained to anybody about your hand being inflamed before you went up to reef? A. Yes, to all the officers at once.

Q. When did you complain to them? A. On the second day after it began to inflame.

Q. Where were all these officers at the time you complained? A. They were not altogether at the time; I spoke to them all about it separately on the same day.

Q. When was it the captain told you to go forward to the pump? A. I do not know the date.

Q. Was it the day he dressed your hand? A. It was not.

Q. How many days after the day he dressed your hand was it that he ordered you to go forward? A. It was the next day; I went forward; I did not tell the captain that I would not go forward. I did not tell him that I could not pump with one hand; that was not the time the captain struck me twice with his hand.

Q. When did he strike you twice with his hand in the face? A. It was at another time, when my hand was frozen.

Q. About how many days out from Liverpool were you when that occurred? A. About four weeks and a half.

Q. Can you tell what month? A. I cannot tell. About the end of the month of January.

Q. When did your hands first become frozen? A. Both hands were not frozen all the time.

Q. Which hand became frozen first? A. The left hand.

Q. When? A. At the time of the second fall of snow, when we were about four weeks and a half from Liverpool.

Q. What were you doing when your left hand got frozen? A. I was in the rigging at the time.

Q. What rigging? A. Mainsprsail.

Q. What were you doing there? A. I was up at work there, making fast a gasket that was flying loose, making it up in a bundle; there was another man there beside myself; his name is Wass; he got his hands frozen, too, at the same time; there were others who [illegible] their hands frozen the same day.

Q. What were they doing when they got their hands frozen? A. They were working about the ship; they were scattered about the ship.

Q. Were not all the men who got frozen at that time colored men? A. Yes; none of the white men got frozen at that time; there was a white man named Kelly and a little American boy in my watch; I can't say if his name was Pomeroy; I do not know if he was twenty-three years of age; it was very cold then; there had been snow about ten days before.

Q. Was it before or after your hand was frozen that the captain put a poultice on your hand? A. About five days after my hand got frozen.

Q. When was it that your fingers dropped off? A. When I was in the forecastle; about two weeks and a half after the freezing.

Q. Did the finger drop off before or after you came into port? A. About six days before arriving; it dropped off the left hand.

Q. Did you warm your hands at the kitchen fire after they were frozen? A. Yes.

Q. Was there frost in them at the time you were warming them at the fire? A. Yes; it was the second mate who slapped my hand while I was warming it at the fire.

Q. Did not the second mate tell you that if you did not leave the fire you would lose your hand? A. No.

Q. Did he tell you to leave the fire? A. No.

Q. Was it after you had warmed your hands at the fire that you felt this pain from which you could not sleep? A. It was after the time I was at the fire.

Q. When was it that the second mate called you out of your bunk? A. It was before I was frozen; I got out; I went to the lee wheel; the second mate struck me there; I relieved a man at the wheel; I don't remember who; he was a colored man.

Q. Did this colored man see the striking? A. He did not see it; there was another man, Moore, at the wheel; he is a colored man; I took a turn at the wheel; I remained at it six hours; that was not the regular time.

Q. Do you recollect complaining at any time to the second mate of rheumatism? A. Never; I never told him I was sick.

Q. How long before the arrival of the vessel had you been sent above the deck into the rigging? A. For the last six days of the voyage the captain had not sent me aloft.

Q. Do you recollect an Italian sailor falling from aloft and being killed? A. Yes; I was sent aloft between the falling of the Italian and our arrival in New York.

This closed the cross-examination of this witness.

TESTIMONY OF WILLIAM OLIVER.

William Oliver, a colored seaman, deposed—I am a sailor; sailed on the 26th of December in the Neptune from Liverpool; the first time I was ill-treated by the captain I had a sore throat; I went to the cabin to the captain and asked him to give me something for my throat; he asked me to let him look; he looked at my throat and said there was nothing the matter with it; he gave me something in a vial, told me to put it on my tongue and swallow the spit; next day my tongue pained me; I went back to the captain; he said I was skulking, and shoved me out of the cabin with both his hands; he did not kick me then; my fingers got frozen about four weeks ago from snow; that was when there was snow on the deck; I went to the captain and told him something was the matter with my hand; he said there was nothing the matter with it; he struck me in the back with his hand; I cannot tell if it was closed; he told me to go out of the cabin, and I did; I went to the pump and worked there with one hand; the next time I was ill treated by the captain was when I had gone on the crotchet yard; Harry Williams was with me; the sail was flapping, and I took hold of the sail with my left hand, which was frozen, and the sail took the skin off; I came down; my fingers were bleeding; the first mate asked me where I was going; I showed him my hand; I went to the captain and showed my hand to him; he said nothing was the matter with it, that I was skulking; he kicked me in the back and punched me with his fist; I went to the forecastle, and went on deck again; I showed the second mate my finger; he said, "You had better go to the captain and get it dressed;" I said I had been there before; I remained on deck pumping after that; on another occasion the captain kicked me behind; he dressed my hand twice; I only went to him twice, and he dressed my hand; I did not go up again aloft while my hand was bleeding; my second hand became frozen when we came on the coast; I have complained to the second mate about my hands, saying I could not pull; he said, "There is nothing the matter with your hand, and if there is I will freeze your head;" the first mate never struck me; the second mate struck me while I was aloft; on another occasion he knocked me flat on the deck with his fist.

Cross-examined—When I went into the cabin the first time I saw the mate there with the captain; the mate was writing; the captain did not dress my hand the first time I went to him; the captain told me there were chilblains on my hand and he dressed it; he made finger stalls for me and put them on; I did just as the other men did on board as to work and no more; I never refused to brace around the yards.

Redirect—I never refused to perform my duty in my watch.

Charles Johnson, a colored sailor, deposed—Captain Peabody about four weeks ago ill-treated me by forcing me into the cold weather, and then I got my hands frozen; I went to the captain and told him my hands were frozen; he gave me some salve and put it on my fingers and I went to work; it made me worse; I went back to the captain, and he gave me more salve and it made me worse; the captain never ill-treated me, except shoving me about; I told him my hands were frozen; he said, "Frozen be d—d;" he never struck me; the second mate, when I would be pulling a rope, would squeeze my hand with the rope in it; the first mate never ill-treated me; I saw the captain kick Oliver the Thursday night before we came in.

The further hearing of the case was then adjourned to to-morrow morning.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

Officers of Internal Revenue Not Authorized to Make Seizures Outside of Their Own Districts—Decision by Commissioner Osborn.

Yesterday, in the United States Commissioners' Court, Commissioner Osborn rendered a decision, which we give below in full, on a very important point. Two officers—assistant assessors of internal revenue—connected with the Third collection district, went into another district and made a seizure therein, acting under the impression that they were vested with authority to do so. The Commissioner holds that by this act they exceeded the powers vested in them by the law of Congress, and that they could not perform official duty outside the limits of their own jurisdiction unless specially authorized to do so by the Secretary of the Treasury.

THE DECISION.

The United States vs. John Everett and Frederick Forter.—The following is the decision of Mr. Commissioner Osborn, above referred to:—

The defendant, Everett, is charged with having failed or neglected to efface the marked stamp and brand from a whiskey barrel at the time the contents were drawn off or emptied therefrom, in violation of section forty-three of the act of Congress passed July 20, 1868; and further, he, together with Porter, is charged with having dispossessed or recovered the said empty barrel after the same had been seized by the complainants, John D. Carroll and Frank V. Wardle, as assistant assessors of internal revenue. The evidence shows that the complainants were assistant assessors of the Third collection district, and not internal revenue officers in and for the Thirty-second district by virtue of any commission. The question arises—have the complainants, under their commission, authority to act as revenue officers outside of the Third collection district; and, if not, then can the charge of rescuing the property, as alleged against the defendants, be maintained? The complainants may be justified in attempting to secure the barrel as evidence of the fraud on the first charge, yet they cannot claim protection after the seizure as internal revenue officers unless they had authority to act outside of their special district, for the statute does not provide for the criminal redress against persons rescuing property so seized or detained, unless the person or persons seizing the same are internal revenue officers acting within their jurisdiction. Section 31 of the act of July 20, 1868, reads as follows:—"That from and after the passage of this act no assessor or collector shall be detailed or authorized to discharge any duty imposed by law on any other collector or assessor." The proper interpretation of this section seems to me to confine every collector or assessor, together with their deputies and assistants, to the district to which they are appointed, and any act or thing done by such officer beyond the limits of his official district is not done as by an internal revenue officer, unless he be specially commissioned to act by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue or by the Secretary of the Treasury. It is judicious that such territorial jurisdiction should be confined to the officers specially appointed to act therein, and not suffer officers of other districts to meddle with and disturb the system inaugurated by the assessment and collection of revenue. If the chief officers were found derelict or inefficient in the discharge of their duties the statute provides for such a misfortune, and the Superintendent is called on to take such action as the case will justify. Section sixty-seven of the act of July 13, 1866, which is claimed by the government as authorizing any internal revenue officer to seize or detain property subject to forfeiture, and which may furnish evidence of fraud, authorized complainants to seize and detain the barrel as internal revenue officers. Such a construction is too general. Congress must have meant, when the law was under discussion, that "any internal revenue officer" within the jurisdiction of his commission, for there are officers in every district throughout the United States, and to such as are appointed to their respective districts can this law only apply. If the statute permits officers of revenue in general to perform duties anywhere and everywhere, then section fifty-one of the act of July 20, 1868, has no force and effect. There is a contradiction, and one or the other must be declared null and void. Wherefore, with the views I have expressed, the complainants were not officers of revenue beyond the limits of the Third collection district, and the accusation against the defendants that they were resisted in the discharge of their duty as assistant assessors and the property seized by them rescued, cannot be maintained in law, and the complaint on that charge is dismissed and the defendants discharged. The evidence on the charge of failure to efface the stamp, brand and mark is full of contradictions as to the barrel being empty; yet, under all the circumstances, I fail to detect any criminal intent on the part of the defendant Everett in the transaction. He is therefore discharged.

The District Attorney for the government; William J. Gibson for the defendants.

FEMALE FINANCING.

WOODHULL & CLAFLIN IN A "CORNER."

Rich Scene in the Marine Court—The Aspirant for the Presidency Charged With Being Naughty—Woman's Wrongs Versus Woman's Rights—The Verdict of a Jury Thereon.

Profile of tragic, melodramatic and amusing stories of everyday life as are our halls of justice in this city, it but seldom happens that from the gloomy courts, in the red building beside the great marble eyesore of municipal economists, yclept in legal irony, the Marine, is emitted a genuine sensation. Perhaps the jurisdiction of the court, although recently enlarged, is too limited; but, whatever the reason, the fact is as stated. Part two of that tribunal, however, presented yesterday

A SCENE NOT OFTEN WITNESSED.

There Judge Gross sat on the bench, and a full bar of junior lawyers, youthful and sympathetic, patiently regarded him. A few ladies occupied seats near the table devoted to the professors of the black art of law; heavy-headed old bucks, red in the face with excitement, chuckled in the background, and a heavy delegation of curious people filled the court to repletion. Among the former, conspicuous by their odd attire, sat behind awfully wise looking and whispering counsel

THE CELEBRATED FEMALE BROKERS

of Broad street—Victoria C. Woodhull, the classic-countenanced candidate for Presidentess in 1872 or any other time that may be convenient, and the pensive, mild Tenny C. Claflin, the special favorite of disembodied spirits of departed financiers,

In maiden meditation,
Fancy free.

Both ladies were dressed exactly alike—that is, in high Tyrolese hats, green and blue cloaks and gorgeous front finery of inexplicable pattern, except that Tenny C. displayed in the most aggravating way

A WONDROUS SHIRT FRONT,

with pearl buttons. Behind these conspicuous ladies alternately smiled and frowned a warrior called Blood, who, it seems, is a sleeping partner in the firm of Woodhull & Claflin. Every inch a soldier, with his side whiskers and hair standing out threateningly on either side, he must have recalled to the minds of his attendant admiring friends the glorious days when he commanded a regiment of flying Dutchmen in the far West. The foreground of the picture was equally interesting. Facing His Honor, with an expression as determined as a pretty mouth, dimpled cheek and flashing eyes could make it, Mrs. Sarah Norton, the man-defying advocate of woman's rights, sat and looked del ghtful in her becoming widow's weeds. Before her, at the other side of the same table, were two young lawyers—one

A BEAUTIFUL BLONDE, WITH SIDE WHISKERS,

advocates for a lady who nestled close to their elbows. She was Miss Annie L. Swindell (most unfortunate cognomen for man or woman), a lady in middle life, piquant in expression, neither nice nor ugly, wearing a brown suit, topped by a bonnet of the same hue, with just one coil of sanguinary colored silk surmounting the lot.

This was the feature in Part 2 of the Marine Court yesterday morning as the clock struck ten.

Evidently it was a big case; and when, nervously grasping a pile of manuscript, the blonde lawyer stroked his fine mustache, winked severely at his brother, the other youth, and rose to address the Court

THE SILENCE WAS PROFOUND.

The counsel stated the case with more precipitation than coolness. From his speech the following story was obtained. It contains the main points of the case for the plaintiff:—Annie L. Swindell was a school teacher; she made some money in that capacity, and came to this city for the purpose of investing it in business, teaching the young idea how to shoot having proved a monotonous occupation. In a moment of weakness she read a copy of *Woodhull & Claflin's Weekly*, and in that sheet discovered that the editors, who were also brokers in Wall street, advertised that they were an ever help in time of need to working women. Accordingly she called on the Broker Sisters and had a talk with them. She was asked if she had any money.

"Yes," said she, "I have some."

"Well," said Mrs. Woodhull, "let us have your money; we will double it in three weeks."

The plaintiff said she did not want to invest her money in any speculation.

"Oh, there's no risk whatever," answered Mrs. Woodhull; "we guarantee women against losses; the money will be returned in case the speculation turns out disastrous."

After some conversation and frequent interviews, on the 12th of August last plaintiff gave Mrs. Woodhull $500, all the money she had. Time sped and so did the money. Plaintiff asked

HOW THE SPECULATION WAS GOING ON?

and at length a statement was presented to her in which it appeared that from sundry and divers transactions in the gold market the sum of eighteen dollars and some cents remained of the $500. The plaintiff refused that sum, and did not believe that the loss in the speculation was so great. The contract between the plaintiff and defendant was verbal, and, said the counsel, it was the old story of the spider and the fly.

Counsel for the defendants argued that it was an ordinary transaction in Wall street business, and no blame could attach to their clients for the loss that was sustained by the plaintiff.

The first witness called was Miss Swindell. She told her story in a straightforward fashion, as given above in the abstract of her counsel's address. When cross-examined she testified that she had been urged by Woodhull & Claflin to get customers for them among ladies in a certain boarding house; that, growing suspicious of the firm, she asked for money; that Tenny C. Claflin got angry, and said,

"WE DON'T WANT TO HAVE ANYTHING MORE TO DO WITH WOMEN;"

and that eventually she was employed in the office of the firm as corresponding secretary, with permission to study the mysterious business of Wall street brokerage. As corresponding secretary she often wrote, under directions, a good deal about "points" which she did not understand. Mrs. Woodhull told her that as the brokerage on the $500 would be so small she would not charge any expenses, but would give her the whole profits of the speculation.

The charming

MRS. SARAH NORTON

then took the stand, and regarded the Teutonic swearer-in with a steadfast, fearless gaze as that good-natured Boanerges of the court roared out the words of the obligation. She gave her evidence at the rate of five hundred words a minute, more or less. The unfortunate stenographer of the court cast himself on his paper impetuously, but after a few seconds of tremendous effort threw up his blunted pencil with an agonized sigh of hopeless despair.

She said, among other things, that she believed the suit was brought for revenge; that Miss Swindell was an improper person, and that there was no foundation for allegations.

Having been asked if she was in the habit of corresponding, and giving an indignant denial, the following letter to Miss Swindell was identified as hers and was read by counsel. Mrs. Norton afterwards sweetly communicated to the HERALD reporter the startling intelligence that the letter was ironical:—

A LETTER FROM MRS. NORTON.

FRIDAY NIGHT, Oct. 18, 1870.

MY FRIEND.—Went to Philadelphia last Sunday night and just returned; found the signs of your coming in the shape of a slip of paper poked under the door, with half-past three as the hour on which you honored me, but what day? Have a lot to do to make up for lost time, and shall be very busy until Wednesday of the coming week; but if it is anything important come down Sunday night. I shall be here at work if the door is closed, as it usually is on Sundays—the street entrance I mean—ring, and some kind fairy as black as thunder, but clever withal, will open to you. Yours for independence, though it be in a "den."

NORTON.

MRS. VICTORIA WOODHULL ON THE STAND.

Mrs. Victoria Woodhull was the next witness. She gave her testimony in a very clear and emphatic manner, and on the cross-examination exhibited a temper and a disposition equal to any emergency, as becomes a strong-minded woman, a female broker or the authoress of "The Tendencies of Government." She testified as follows:—

I am principal of the firm of Woodhull, Claflin & Co. and chief directress of the *Woodhull & Claflin Weekly*; was in the office of the firm at the time that the transactions which are the subject of this suit were first opened; am not certain whether any other persons were present at the time.

Q. State what took place between you and Miss Swindell in connection with the subject matter of this suit? A. I cannot state now exactly all that was said on the occasion; I remember Miss Swindell coming into the office and asking for Mrs. Woodhull; I was there, but very busy at the time, and I, having told her that I was Mrs. Woodhull, asked her to sit down; after a time I accosted her, requesting to know her business; she said, "I have heard a good deal about your firm, and was anxious to see your office;" as I was still busy I said to her, "Madame, have you any business with me?" she replied that she had been a teacher a good many years, and had become tired of it; that she had come to New York to engage in other business; "I have heard of your success, and I had an idea that I would like to try the street myself, but I have made up my mind to invest my money in gold stocks;" I then told her it was a risky business, and advised her, if she had any money, to keep it—the advice I would give any woman, unless she understood the business; she said she did not understand the brokerage business and had never invested money in stock, but that she desired now to do so; she came several times to the office and always spoke on the same subject of investing her money; I told her I did not want to take her money or any woman's money; I said to her "It is a great risk unless you know what it means to lose money, that in a loss of this kind you cannot recover, and the risk is great;" she answered, "I know well enough what the business is, and I understand what a loss is;" I told her, "This may positively result in a loss, and I do not wish you to feel as if I wished you to invest your money in this way;" after this she came to the office and gave me the money; I accepted it, and at once gave it to the colored boy and [illegible] him to take it to the Gold Room; Miss Swindell knew at the time that the money was to be invested in gold; I told her I did not think it could be invested that evening, as it was late; she said, "I would like to have it invested at once, as gold is fluctuating," and asked me, "Can not it be invested this evening?" I went to the Gold Room myself to see if it could be invested; it was so invested that day; after accepting the money from Miss Swindell I said to her, "Miss Swindell, I have guaranteed to protect your margin in this operation as I would my own," and I did so.

Q. Did you state to her what the rate of commission would be? A. I don't remember that I did at the time, but I think I did.

Q. Did you tell her to invest her money in gold or stocks and it she did that she never would have to work any more in all her life? A. (Emphatically.) No, sir.

Q. Did you tell her that if she lost her money in gold speculation that you would repay her? A. I did not; I told her that I would guard her money as carefully as I would my own; she understood the matter as well as I did, and spoke of

THE FLUCTUATIONS OF GOLD

quite understandingly; the money she gave me I put into the same stock as I put my own.

Q. Into the same gold pool? A. Yes.

Q. How much money was in that pool? A. Perhaps $1,000 or $1,500.

Q. What became of that money? A. It was lost; we were buying gold at the time; that was about the time that Napoleon was about leaving Paris, when fluctuations were great and the market uncertain; we lost at that time almost all that we had invested in gold.

Q. When you took this $500 from Miss Swindell to use as you say, was it understood or was anything said about your acting as her broker? A. She told me to use it at my discretion; she came to the office almost every day after that and talked about the state of the gold market; she consulted the gold indicator just as often as I did myself; she was in my employ as a copyist for four or five weeks; I first employed her to attend to the correspondence, but she was unfitted for that.

Q. At the time of the closing of this transaction you rendered a statement to plaintiff as to how the account stood? A. Yes; it was rendered from the office.

[Statement put in.]

Q. Is that a correct statement? A. I think it is.

Q. It leaves a balance due her of $18 62? A. Yes, sir; I am ready and willing to pay that sum.

Q. From the time plaintiff put that money in your hands till the action was commenced did she ever ask you for the $500? A. No; she never asked me for the money, but I had a conversation with her in the office after the money was lost; I said to her, "We have all lost very heavily; I feel, however, very bad for you, knowing that you have not much means and that you are not making money, like others." Miss Swindell said, "I don't mind that; I knew it was a risk; that would not affect me, and I would not speak again about it if you could give me some employment; in that case I would be perfectly satisfied; I knew what I was about when I invested the money and I am perfectly satisfied;" I don't think any one was present at this conversation. The money, with other money, was sent to Farr & Co., our brokers.

Statement put in marked by the Court and the question of its admissability as evidence reserved.

CROSS-EXAMINED.

Q. Who was this Farr? A. He was our broker; he alluded to the orders we sent him; he bought and sold gold for us as we ordered him.

Q. When did you first speak to the plaintiff about her having any money? A. I don't know that she was overasked any question about money; she told me first that she had some money; it was not my business to ask her if she had money; her statement was a voluntary one.

Q. You said you would guarantee her money the same as your own? A. No; I said I would guard and protect her margin as I would my own.

Q. When she handed you the money what did you do? A. I handed it to the colored boy to take to the Gold Room.

Q. Did you not say "Hand that to the Colonel?" A. I did.

Q. Who is

"THE COLONEL?"

A. A man who acts as our broker—that is, attending to our business, watching the markets, giving orders for buying or selling.

Q. Was this Colonel Blood acting with Farr & Co.? A. No.

Q. Then do you mean to say that Colonel Blood took the money you sent by the colored boy—this pool—and gave it to the firm of Farr & Co? A. The boy took the money I gave him to the Gold Room and handed it to the Colonel.

Q. Is Colonel Blood a member of your firm? A. He is.

Q. Who compose the firm? A. Woodhull & Claflin compose the firm.

Q. Is it not Woodhull, Claflin & Co.? A. It is.

Q. Who is the Co.? A. I am not disposed to answer that question.

Judge Gross—You must answer the question.

Witness—Colonel Blood is the man who is the Co.

Q. Any one else connected with that firm? A. No. Colonel Blood is the Co. No one else is connected with the firm.

Q. Did you not say that Colonel Blood was your broker? A. I don't remember saying so.

Q. Is your business the business of a broker? A. It is part of our business. When Miss Swindell gave me the money she told me to use it just as if it was my own. She understood how it was to be used—that it was to be invested in gold.

Q. Then she did not authorize you in express terms to employ Farr & Co. in its investment? A. She did not. Some days—soon after we bought the gold—there was

A SUDDEN FALL,

and we were then losing. She came to the office and learned the fact. I subsequently got a letter from her counsel demanding a settlement.

Q. When she first consulted you, and before she gave you her money, did you not give her to understand that she should not lose her money? A. I did not; but I told her I would take pains to guard her margin.

Q. Did you not say it would not do for you to let working women lose? A. I did not; I said I was deeply interested in working women; I preferred not to have margins from working women, except they had some experience in the business; I never said anything to working women to influence them coming into our office; no doubt we have many persons saying bitter things against us.

Q. Do you know a Mrs. Tucker? A. I do.

Q. Did you enter into a similar transaction with her? Objected to. Sustained.

Q. Has not your mind been too much taken up

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to have a clear recollection of all the matters connected with this transaction? A. I don't remember all.

Q. Have you not advertised yourself

A CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY?

A. That is not your business, sir; it has no bearing on the case; if the Court thinks it has, I shall answer it. (Laughter.)

Judge Gross—It is irrelevant; we have not come to the Presidential campaign yet.

Counsel—Women candidates for so distinguished an office as the Presidency of the United States cannot have time to remember the smaller business matters.

Mrs. Woodhull—Perhaps you might not.

Counsel—I am not a candidate for the Presidency.

Mrs. Woodhull—Well, I should think not, indeed (laughter)—(warming up)—you asked the other witnesses if they were strong-minded women; now, I am

A STRONG-MINDED WOMAN,

and I would feel insulted if you men thought I was anything else; I claim to be

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

WALL STREET,
TUESDAY, Feb. 21—6 P. M.

On 'Change to-day wheat was steady and rather more active. Flour was weak and lower. The cotton market improved on higher quotations in Liverpool and closed strong at the advance.

TO-MORROW A HOLIDAY.

To-morrow, February 22, the anniversary of Washington's birth, is a legal holiday by federal and State laws, and will be strictly observed as such. All the United States offices, the banks, the brokers' offices, the Stock Exchange, the Government Board and the Gold Exchange will be closed throughout the day. In the cases of the Custom House and Post Office business will be transacted for a few hours in the morning, owing to the necessity of giving clearances to vessels and despatching the more important mails. The Wall street boards have adjourned over to Thursday morning, and the banks will remain closed until the same time.

MONEY THERE TO FIVE PER CENT.

The money market was steady at four per cent as the general rate on call loans, with the usual collaterals. On governments, however, most of the larger dealers were supplied at three per cent. On the other hand, where the collaterals submitted were the less favorite speculative stocks, or such as are difficult to have carried, the borrowers consented to pay five per cent, which rates, under the circumstances, were deemed quite easy. There is also a growing disposition to make loans on time in response to inquiries from the larger holders of stocks who wish to take time by the forelock and provide against the contingencies of an active money market toward the latter part of March, when some disturbance is anticipated in connection with the usual drain of money to the rural districts for what are known as the "April settlements." Some transactions of this character were made at 6 a 7 per cent, according to the collaterals hypothecated, the period of engagement also varying from sixty days to four months.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE FIRM.

The foreign exchange market was moderately active, the steamers of Wednesday being favorites with many remitters, and bankers maintained their rates at the highest figures of the season. The quotations at the close of business this afternoon were as follows:—Sterling, sixty days, commercial, 109 a 109¼; good to prime bankers', 109¼ a 109⅜; do. short sight, 110¼ a 110½; Antwerp, 5.16¼ a 5.13⅛; Switzerland, 5.15 a 5.11¼; Hamburg, 36 a 36¼; Amsterdam, 40¾ a 41⅛; Frankfort, 40¼ a 41⅛; Bremen, 78¾ a 79¼; Prussian thalers, 71¼ a 71⅞.

GOVERNMENTS BUOYANT.

The government purchase of bonds, originally advertised for to-morrow (Wednesday), that being the week day chosen for these transactions, was made to-day instead, and elicited proposals of only $3,718,200, which fact, coupled with the direct purchase of $2,000,000 out of the amount so offered, started an upward turn in the government list and rendered the market quite buoyant at the improvement, especially as gold was firm. In fact, something of the recent enthusiasm might have returned to the market had not the London quotation gone off to 91—¾ decline which was not accounted for. At the close the street market was steady and strong as follows:—United States currency sixes, 113¾ a 113¾; do. sixes, 1881, registered, 114¾ a 114¾; do. do., coupon, 114¾ a 114¾; do. five-twenties, registered, May and November, 111½ a 111¾; do. do., 1862, coupon, do., 111¾ a 112; do. do., 1864, do. do., 111¾ a 111¾; do. do., 1865, do. do., 111½ a 111¾; do. do., registered, January and July, 110½ a 110¾; do. do., 1867, coupon, do., 110½ a 110¾; do. do., 1868, do. do., 111½ a 111¾; do. ten-forties, registered, 107¾ a 108; do. do., coupon, 110¾ a 111.

GOLD DULL AND STRONG—111¼ A 111¾.

The lower quotation for five-twenties in London and the steadiness of foreign exchange at the current advanced rates made a strong market for gold, but at the same time worked no speculative spirit either way. Hence the quotation stood 111¼ a 111½ pretty nearly all day, with a number of transactions at the intermediate sixteenth. Cash gold was in fair request, and the demand would indicate a moderately large short interest. The course of the market is shown in the table:—

10 A. M.	111¾	2 P. M.	111½
10:05 A. M.	111½	3 P. M.	111½
11 A. M.	111¾	4 P. M.	111½
12 M.	111½	5:30 P. M.	111¼ a 111½
1 P. M.	111¾		

In the gold loan market the rates for carrying ranged from two to four per cent. The operations of the Gold Exchange Bank were as follows:—

Gold cleared	$25,020,000
Gold balances	1,307,557
Currency balances	1,157,422

The engagement of specie for the Liberia to-morrow is about $150,000.

STOCKS DULL AND IRREGULAR.

The kaleidoscope at the Stock Exchange was given a small turn to-day with the effect of breaking up the recent monotonous collocation of the various features and presenting them in newer situations. Thus Western Union Telegraph, which is reported to be under the fresh patronage of the Vanderbilt party, turned up to 49, presenting an agreeable aspect to its numerous friends, but eliciting the terrified scrutiny of the "bears." On the other hand, St. Paul rolled down to 52¾, attended by the preferred to 74¾, while Ohio and Mississippi slid off to 35¾. Pacific Mail tumbled clean over to 43¾, and New York Central scrip sank to 90¾. (The Revenue Department insists on the payment of the tax on the dividend.) The revolution which brought these prices down turned Northwestern up to 77, Wabash to 53¾ and Lake Shore to 95. The extreme fluctuations are shown in the table:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
New York Central consolidated	94¾	94½
New York Central scrip	90½	90¼
Reading	89¾	89
Lake Shore	95	94¾
Wabash	53¼	52¾
Northwestern	77	76
Northwestern preferred	86¾	86¼
Rock Island	107½	107
Milwaukee and St. Paul	52¾	52¾
Milwaukee and St. Paul preferred	74¾	74¼
Ohio and Mississippi	36	35½
Union Pacific	22¾	21½
Western Union Telegraph	49	47½
Pacific Mail	44¼	43¾

The earnings of the Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway for the second week in February were, in

1870	$109,731
1871	75,708
Increase	$35,023

SOUTHERN SECURITIES STEADY.

The Southern list—outside the South Carolinas, which were weak and nearly one per cent lower in the more active issues—was generally steady and strong. The following were the final street prices:—Tennessee, ex coupon, 64¼ a 64¾; do., new, 64¾ a 64¾; Virginia, ex coupon, 65¾ a 66; do., new, 61 a 62; do., registered stock, old, 51¾ a 52; Georgia sixes, 81 a 82; do. sevens, 90 a 90½; do. do., old, 90 a 92; North Carolina, ex coupon, 42¾ a 43¼; do., funding, 1866, 35 a 40; do. do., 1868, 39 a 31; do., new, 27¾ a 28; do., special tax, 21½ a 22; Missouri sixes, 90¾ a 91; do., Hannibal and St. Joseph, 90¾ a 91; Louisiana sixes, 69 a 71; do., new, 62 a 65; do. levee sixes, 73 a 75; do. do. eights, 83 a 87; do. Penitentiary sevens, 74 a 76; do. railroad eights, 78 a 80; Alabama fives, 70 a 71; do. eights, 99 a 100; do. railroad eights, 93 a 95; South Carolina sixes, 72 a 75; do., new, January and July, 53¾ a 58½; do., do., April and October, 60 a 61; do., registered stock, old, 60 a 65; Arkansas sixes, 55 a 60; do. sevens, 55 a 60; Mobile and Ohio Railroad sterling, 84 a 86; do. interest eights, 74 a 75; do. second mortgage eights, 52 a 55; Mississippi Central Railroad first mortgage sevens, 75 a 80; do. do. second mortgage eights, 68 a 70; New Orleans and Jackson Railroad first mortgage, 83 a 86; do. do. second mortgage, 74 a 76; Memphis and Charleston Railroad first mortgage, 83 a 85; do. do. second mortgage, 74 a 76; Greenville and Columbia Railroad, guaranteed by South Carolina, 60 a 62; Macon and Brunswick Railroad, guaranteed by Georgia, 70 a 72; Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford eights, 51 a 55; Memphis City sixes, 51 a 52; Savannah City sevens, 82 a 84; New Orleans consols, old, 73 a 75; do. issue railroads, sixes, 70 a 72; do., new sevens, 70 a 71.

SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Tuesday, Feb. 21—10:15 A. M.

$3000 US 5-20, r, '62.... 111¾ 600 the Pacific SS Co..b c 44½
1000 US 5-20, c, '62.... 112 1000 W Un Tel.....b c 45

$2000 US 5-20, r, '64.... 111¾ 200 do..... 48¼
5000 US 5-20, c, '64.... 111½ 500 do..... 48¼
3000 Georgia 7's..... 94 500 do..... 48⅜
25000 N Car 6's, o..... 29¼ 2100 do..... 48⅜
10000 N Carolina Act, '68.. 39¾ 25 Del & Hud Co..b c 115¾
10000 N C 6's, sp tax, b c 21¼ 200 Boston Water Pr..b c 29
15000 SC 6's, p, Jan & July 59 75 Amer M U Ex..... 45
3000 do..... 58¾ 100 do.....b60 45⅛
10000 do.....s30 58¾ 200 do.....b 45
5000 do..... 58¾ 12 do..... 44¾
7000 do.....b cash 58¾ 50 U S Express.....b c 45
1000 Mo 6's, Hast Jo iss 93¾ 40 do..... 45
2000 N Y Cent 6's, '87.. 103¾ 600 Wells-Fargo sp..b c 2
10000 do..... 90 100 N Y C & H R R.....s2 94¾
1000 Mich So 2d mtge.. 98 200 do.....b c 94¾
2000 Cen Pac gold bds 91¾ 30000 N Y C & H R cf.... 90½
5000 U Pac RR 1st m... 82¾ 1000 Reading RR..... 90
5000 do..... 82¾ 800 L S & M S RR.....s3 91¾
1000 Un Pac 7's, l g bn.. 72¾ 10 do..... 94¾
20000 do..... 72 1000 do.....bel c 94¾
2000 do..... 71¾ 2600 do..... 95
19000 Un Pac 10's, inc... 72¾ 500 do..... 94¾
6000 do..... 72¾ 1500 do.....s60 94¾
3000 Ala & Tor H 2d pf.. 34¾ 400 Union Pac RR..... 22¾
5000 do..... 34¾ 500 do.....b c 22¾
6000 Han & St J 6's, on b 106 500 do..... 22¾
1000 Tol & W 1st m..... 92 200 Cley & Pitts RR..... 103
2000 Tol & W con cv bds 81 200 Col, C, C & I RR.... 64¾
4000 Great W 1st, '88... 67¾ 100 N J Central RR..... 107
6000 C & R I & P R 7's. 98 5 do..... 106
1000 Mor & Es 2d m..... 95 100 Chic & R I RR.....s3 107
5000 Cleve & Pitts 4th.. 80 15 do..... 106¾
5000 St L & Iron M 1st.. 89¾ 200 Mil & St P RR..... 54¾
1000 Ohio & Miss 1st.... 86 100 do..... 54¾
5000 C, C & I C 1st mtg. 88¾ 500 do..... 53¾
3000 do..... 84 60 do..... 53
2000 T & W, 1st m. w d 82 100 Mil & St P pfd..... 74¾
2000 Mor & Es cons bn. 86 195 Tol, W & W RR..... 68
6000 Pits, Ft W & Chic 2d 98 800 do..... 53¾
13000 Mil & St P S's, 1st.. 104 200 Del, Lack & W RR.. 104½
1000 Mar & Es con b.... 20 110 do.....b c 104¾
8 sts Bk of Commce... 118¾ 100 Bost, Hart & Erie.. 2¾
16 Continental Bank.... 94 100 Chic & Alton RR..c 115¾
25 Fourth Nat Bank.... 108 100 Ohio & Miss RR.....b5 36
10 Cent Nat Bk..... 102 100 do.....b3 36
50 do..... 103¾ 200 Morris & E RR..... 59½
10 Ninth Nat Bk..... 111 20 do..... 59½
10 Quicksilver Min Co.. 14 30 N Y & N H R R scrip. 187½
100 do..... 14¾ 500 H & St Jo RR..... 88¾
200 Quick Min pref..... 19 500 H & St Jo RR pref.. 36½
200 Pac M SS Co.....b3 44¾ 295 Alb & Sus RR..... 87

12:15 and 2:15 o'Clock P. M.

$3500 US 6's, '81, r.... 114¾ $6500 US 5-20, r, '65.s3 111½
600 do..... 114¾ 10000 US 5-20, c, '65.... 111½
51500 US 6's, '81, c.... 114¾ 10000 US 5-20, c, '65, n.s3 110¾
10000 US 5-20, c, '67..b3 110¾ 25000 US 5-20, c, '65..b c 111¾
2500 do..... 110¾ 52000 US 6's, 10-40, c.. 110¾
1000 US 5-20, r, '64... 111¾ 165000 US 6's, cur..... 113½
5000 US 5-20, c, '64..c 111¾

One o'Clock P. M.

$1000 N Y 7's, b l, reg... 106¾ 50 shs U S Express Co 45¾
1000 Georgia 7's..... 90¾ 100 Am Sec U Ex..... 45
2000 do..... 90 500 N Y C & HR cf.... 90
5000 N Car 6's, n..... 27¾ 100 Harlem RR..... 125½
3000 SC 6's, Jan & July, n 53½ 20 Mich Central RR..... 117¾
1000 Erie 4th m..... 85 100 L S & M S RR.....b15 94¾
10000 U Pac RR 1st m.. 82¾ 200 Un Pac RR..... 23½
5000 U Pac 7's, lnd g b 72 100 do.....b3 22¾
15000 Union Pac 10's inc 72¾ 100 Cleve & Pitts RR.... 105¾
1000 Cen Pac gold bds.. 94¾ 200 Ch & N W RR..... 76¾
5000 Col C & I C, 1st m 84 100 C & N W pfd..... 85¾
20 shs Hanover Bank.. 101¾ 200 do.....s3 86¾
10 Cen Nat Bk..... 102¾ 100 C, C, Cin & I RR..... 84
200 West Un Tel..... 48¾ 100 N J Central RR..b3 107
1500 do.....b c 48¾ 100 do.....s3 107
400 Quick M Co..... 14¾ 100 Chic & R I RR.....s30 107
100 do.....b c 14¾ 200 Mil & St Paul RR.... 53¾
100 Quick pref..... 19 100 do.....s3 53¾
200 Pac M SS Co..... 44¾ 200 Mil & St Paul pf..... 74¾
50 do..... 44¾ 400 Del, L & W RR..... 104¾
100 U States Express.. 45¾

STREET QUOTATIONS.

Half-past Five o'Clock P. M.

West Union Tel.	48¾ a 49	Northwest'n pf.	86¾ a 86¾
Quicksilver	14¾ a 15	Rock Island....	107¼ a 107¾
Pacific Mail....	43¾ a 44	St Paul	52¾ a 53
N Y Cen con...	94¾ a 94¾	St Paul pf.....	74¼ a 74½
N Y Cen scrip..	90¾ a 90¾	Wabash.....	53 a 53¾
Erie.....	21¾ a 22¼	Ohio & Miss....	35¼ a 35¾
Reading	89 a 89¾	Rost. H & Erie.	2⅞ a 2¾
Lake Shore....	94¾ a 94¾	Union Pacific..	21¾ a 21¾
Northwestern...	76¾ a 77	C, C & I Cent...	17¾ a 18

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

TUESDAY, Feb. 21—6 P. M.

COFFEE.—The market for Rio was fairly active, the demand still being entirely from the trade, and, with continued small offerings, prices were steady and firm at former quotations. There were disposed of 7,896 bags ex North America on private terms. Within the past few days a large business has been transacted in Maracaibo; about 14,000 bags, which includes all in first hands, have been sold on private terms. The other kinds were quiet and unchanged. We append the current quotations:—Rio, ordinary cargoes, 10c. a 10¾c.; fair do., 10¾c. a 11c.; good do., 11¼c. a 12¼c.; prime do., 12¾c. a 13¼c.; extremes for lots, 10c. a 14c., all gold, in bond. Java (government bags), 18c. a 20c.; do. (51,108 gross mats), 18¾c. a 22c.; Singapore, 17c. a 18c.; Ceylon, 15¾c. a 17c.; Maracaibo, 14c. a 15c.; Laguayra, 14¾c. a 15¾c.; Jamaica, 12c. a 14¾c.; St. Domingo (gold in bond), 10c. a 10½c.; Costa Rica, 14¾c. a 16c.; Manila, 14c. a 15c.; Mexican, 12c. a 16c.; Savanilla, 12½c. a 15c., all gold, duty paid.

COTTON.—The market opened with a fairly active demand, and prices advanced ⅛c. per lb. on all grades, without, however, much business at the improvement. Subsequently, influenced by enormous receipts at the ports, the market reacted and closed dull, with a continued downward tendency, the appended quotations being extreme and entirely nominal. The sales were:—

	To-day.	Last Evening.	Total.
For export	1,224	1,516	2,740
For home consumption	784	99	883
For speculation	267	—	267
Total bales	2,275	1,615	3,890

—Include 1 in the above are 606 bales to arrive.

For future delivery the transactions were large, commencing at the highest figures and closing tame at the inside prices, with more sellers than buyers. The sales were 14,550 bales, as follows:—February, 500 at 14¼c., 100 at 14 7-16c., 100 at 14¾c.; March, 1,100 at 14¾c., 700 at 14 11-16c., 2,100 at 14¾c., 2,400 at 14 9-16c., 100 at 14½c.; April, 900 at 14 13-16c., 1,000 at 14⅞c., 800 at 14¾c.; May, 300 and 100 May at 14¾c., together; May, 600 at 15c., 100 at 15 1-16c., 900 at 15c., 100 at 14 15-16c., 600 at 14¾c.; June, 400 at 15¼c., 200 at 15 1-16c., 100 at 15c.; 300 June and 500 July at 15¼c.; July, 100 at 15¼c.; f. o. b. Mobile, 350 on private terms. Total, 14,550 bales. Also yesterday, after report 4,750 bales, as follows:—February, 500 at 14¾c.; 200 February and 200 March, at 14¾c., together; March, 800 at 14 9-16c., 700 at 14¾c.; April, 600 at 14¾c.; May, 500 at 14¾c.; 100 May and 100 June, at 15c., together; June, 400 at 15 1-16c.; 100 June and July, at 15¼c., together; 100 June and July, at 15¾c., together. Total since last report, 18,750 bales. We quote:—

	Uplands.	Mobile.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	12½	12¾	13	13¼
Good ordinary	14	14	14¼	14¾
Low middling	14¾	14¾	15	15½
Middling	15⅝	15⅝	15⅞	16⅛
Good middling	16¼	16⅜	16½	17

—The average prices of yesterday's transactions for forward delivery were:—February, 14 42-100c.; March, 14 60-100c.; April, 14 72-100c.; June, 15 06-100.

CEMENT.—Rosendale was moderately dealt in at $1 85.

CORDAGE.—We quote:—Manila, 17½c. a 18½c.; Sisal and Russia 16¾ rope, 15½c. a 16c.

CANDLES.—There was no demand except for small lots, and prices were nominal for large parcels. Jobbing lots were selling at the following prices:—Adamantine, 12c. a 15c.; sperm, 50c., and patent, 39c. a 40c.

COCOA was dull, and prices were generally nominal. We heard of no important sales. We quote:—Guayaquil, 10c. a 10½c.; Caracoa, 15c. a 16c. and Maracaibo, 22c. a 23½c., all gold, in bond.

FREIGHTS.—There was but little activity in the market, the offerings of most articles still continuing diminutive, and rates were generally in favor of the shippers. For vessels for charter there was an improved demand, and several were taken up, but at rates favoring shippers. The engagements were:—To Liverpool, per steamer, 500 bales cotton, as it runs, at 5 16d.; 1,500 do. do., at 9-32d. a 11-32d.; 7,500 bushels wheat (to fill) at 7d.; 500 bags clover seed at 35s., and 200 boxes bacon. To London, per steamer, 750 tierces beef at 72s. a 85s.; 500 bags clover seed at 35s., and by sail 30 tons cheese at 30s., and (not before reported) 2,500 bbls. rosin at 2s. 6d. To Bristol, 40 tons oil cake at 22s. 6d. To Antwerp, 50 tons logwood at 30s. and 250 tierces lard at 50s. The charters were:—A ship to Melbourne, general cargo, at £2,250; a bark to Stockholm, with 2,800 bbls. naptha, at 9s.; a bark from Philadelphia to Copenhagen, with 2,800 bbls. petroleum at 9s.; a schooner, about 250 tons, to the Windward, at 60c.; a bark, with 3,500 bbls. flour, to Cork for orders, at 3s. and 10 per cent additional if to a direct port on the Continent; a Norwegian bark, with 1,100 bales cotton, to the United Kingdom or Continent, at ⅞c. If to the Baltic ⅞c.; a brig to the Mediterranean, with 1,400 bbls. petroleum at 9s. 3d.; a bark, 500 bbls., from the south side Cuba; an Austrian bark, 444 tons, to Antwerp, general cargo, on private terms.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—Receipts, 10,386 bbls. flour, 100 bbls. and 100 bags corn meal, 1,240 bushels wheat, 14,250 do. corn, 4,925 do. oats. The flour market ruled dull, but prices were nominally unchanged; the sales were about 12,000 bbls. For Southern flour the demand was moderate and the market was heavy for most kinds; sales 500 bbls. Rye flour was quiet, but steady, with sales of 200 bbls. Corn meal was quiet and unchanged; the sales were 350 bbls. We quote:—

No. 2 State	$5 60 a $5 00
Superfine State	6 25 a 6 60
Extra State	6 35 a 7 00
Choice do	7 00 a 7 25
Superfine Western	6 25 a 6 50
Extra do	6 35 a 7 00
Extra Minnesota	7 00 a 8 00
Round hoop Ohio, shipping brands	6 85 a 7 00
Round hoop Ohio, trade brands	7 00 a 7 50
Family	7 50 a 8 00
St. Louis low extra	6 75 a 7 00
St. Louis straight extra	7 00 a 7 50
St. Louis choice double extra	7 50 a 8 00
St. Louis choice family	8 00 a 10 00
Rye flour	5 50 a 6 25
Southern	6 00 a 7 50
Choice do	8 00 a 10 00
Corn meal, Jersey	3 75 a 4 25
Corn meal, Brandywine	4 65 a 4 75

—Wheat was dull and heavy. The sales were 15,000 bushels spring at $1 50a a $1 51 in store. Corn was firm with a fair demand, and sales of 50,000 bushels at 85c. a 86c. for mixed Western; 80½c. a 82½c. for do. on track; 86c. a 86½c. for yellow; 86c. a 90c. for white; 83c. for prime Jersey. Oats were quiet at 66c. a 68c. for Western; sales 20,000 bushels at 66c. a 67c. for white Pennsylvania, 68c. for Western on track, 68c. for State. Rye was dull and prices were nominal at our last quotations. Barley was in demand and firm, with sales of 20,000 bushels at from $1 14 to $1 20 for Canada. Of malt there were sold 15,000 bushels at 93c. a $1 for state and $1 10 for Canada.

GUNNIES.—Bags were in moderate demand and sales were made of 250 bales at 14½c. gold, in bond. Cloth was quoted at 19½c. gold, in bond, without sales of moment.

HAY.—The demand was moderate and prices were steady and firm, at $1 20 for shipping, $1 25 a $1 45 for retail lots, $1 75 a $1 90 for long straw and $1 20 a $1 15 for short do.

HIDES.—The market was without activity, the demand being limited, but full figures were demanded for all kinds. We quote:—Buenos Ayres, 25 to 27 lbs., 24½c. gold, selected do. do., 20 to 23 lbs., 23c. a 24½c.; Montevideo, 23½c. to 24½c. lbs., 22c. a 22½c.; Rio Grande, 21 to 23 lbs., 22½c. a 23½c.; Rio Grande, 20 to 23 lbs., 23c.; Orinoco, 21 to 23 lbs., 21½c. a 22c.; California, 22 to 25 lbs., 21½c. a 22c.; Central American, trimmed, 22 to 24 lbs., 20c. as they run; do. do. untrimmed, 22 to 24 lbs., 18c. a 19c.; Matamoros and Mexican, 22 to 24 lbs., 18c.; Vera Cruz, 18 to 19 lbs., 20c.; Tampico, 20 to 22 lbs., 20c. a 21c.; Rogatan, 18 to 20 lbs., 20c. a 21½c.; Maracaibo, 20 to 23 lbs., 16c. a 17c. Total stock hides February 21, 1871, 121,500; same date last year, 45,300.

HEMP.—There was a very large speculative movement in this article, the sales of which were no less than 10,000 bales on the spot and to arrive here and in Boston at 34½c. a 35½c. gold, and 4½c. currency, the market closing very strong. Of this 500 bales were sold at 35½c. gold. Other kinds were dull and unchanged.

LUMBER.—The market for lumber still was fairly active, the demand being chiefly for the prime grades, and prices were quite steady at our quotations annexed. The receipts of stock are decreasing. Oak was manually active for best middle and heavyweights, but very quiet for light. We annex the current quotations:—Hemlock—Bronze Ayres, heavy, 27½c. a 28½c. per lb.; do. middle, 23½c. a 28½c.; do. light, 22c. a 23c.; California heavy, 27½c. a 28½c.; do. middle, 26c. a 27½c.; do. light, 25½c. a 27c.; Orinoco, &c., heavy, 26c. a 28c.; do. middle, 25c. a 26½c.; do. light, 25c. a 26½c.; good damaged, all kinds and weights, 24c. a 25½c.; poor damaged, do., 19c. a 21c.; in the rough, 28c. a 32c. Oak—Shingles, heavy, 30c. a 32c.; do., middle, 32c. a 40c.; do. light, 35c. a 42c.; cropped, heavy, 37c. a 39c.; do., middle, 38c. a 40c.; do. light, 37c. a 38c.; in the rough, heavy, 31c. a 36c.; do., middle, 31c. a 36c.; do. light, 32c. a 35c.; ledges, 18c. a 21c.

MOLASSES.—We heard of no important business in foreign, which was without particular change in value; the offerings were fair at former prices. Domestic was steady, with a moderate demand, the sales being 200 bbls. at 52c. a 70c., chiefly at the middle price. We quote:—Porto Rico, 30c. a 37c.; Cuba muscovado, 30c. a 35c.; do. clayed, 33c. a 37c.; Cuba muscovado, 30c. a 35c.; do. clayed, 33c. a 37c.; Demerara, 35c. a 40c.; New Orleans, 65c. a 68c.

METALS.—There was an active demand for Scotch pig, prices of which were rather stronger, closing firm at $22 a $23. There were sold 600 tons on the spot and to arrive at $20 for Eglinton, $20 50 a $30 for Glengarnock and Langloan, and sales besides of about 1,400 tons Eglinton, Gartsherrie, Glengarnock, &c., were rumored on private terms. American was quiet, but holders were generally firm in their views. Sales 1,600 tons No. 1 North river and 1,000 do. No. 2 do. on private terms, the former closing at $32 a $33 and the latter $30 a $31. Refined bar and new and old rails were quiet, but steady, at previous quotations. Russia sheet iron was quoted at 10½c. gold; 100 packages were sold on private terms. Lead was moderately dealt in at quite steady prices; sales 50 tons Spanish on private terms; 25 do. do. at $6 25, gold; ordinary brands were quoted at $6 20, gold. Spelter was slow of sale; there were sold 25 tons at 5¼c. gold, and 5 tons at 6¼c., currency. Tin—Pig was very quiet, the demand being light, but there was no change in prices; Straits were quoted at 31½c., gold, at which price 100 pigs were sold. English was quoted at 33½c., gold, without sales of moment. Plates were quiet, but held for full figures. Sales 750 boxes assorted charcoal at $8 75, gold. Copper was tolerably active at about former figures, the sales being 250,000 lbs. Lake at 21½c. a 22c.

NAVAL STORES.—The market for spirits turpentine was decidedly less active, but full prices prevailed for both merchantable and shipping lots, the former being quoted at 54c. and the latter at 55c. There were sold 160 bbls. at 54c., including a lot of 100 bbls. Crude turpentine was still dull and nominal. The amount of business transacted in rosin was very light, there being but little demand, and prices were generally nominal. Strained was generally quoted at $2 62½, at which price there were sold 1,000 bbls. About 400 bbls. in lots were disposed of within the range of $2 70 a $3 for No. 2, $3 25 a $4 25 for No. 1, $4 50 a $7 for pale and extra pale. Tar was neglected and prices were nominal; Wilmington was quoted at $2 40 a $2 50. We heard of no sales.

PROVISIONS.—Receipts, 1,462 bbls. pork, 103 do. beef, 1,050 packages cut meats and 3,060 bbls. and tierces lard. The market for mess pork, both on the spot and for future, was very quiet, and prices continued to favor buyers, though they were not quotably lower. About $22 37½ was the closing price for wholesale lots on the spot. There were sold 500 bbls. at $22 50 for old mess, $22 75 for mess and prime mess, part at $22. For future delivery there were sold 1,250 bbls. at $22 37½ for March and $22 50 for April. Dressed hogs were quoted at 10c. a 11c. for city and 9¾c. a 9¾c. for Western. Beef in bbls. was quiet but steady, with sales of 250 bbls. within the range of $11 a $13 for plain mess and $16 a $18 for extra do. Beef, in tierces, was dull and unchanged. Sales 70 tierces, within the range of $26 a $32 for prime and India mess. Beef hams were more sought after and held with firmness. There were sold about 400 bbls., at from $30 to $31 75, the latter price for choice. For cut meats the demand was extremely light, and we heard of no sales of consequence. Pickled hams were quoted at 14½c. a 15½c., smoked and bagged hams, 15c. a 17c.; pickled bellies in bulk and boxes, 10½c. a 11½c. Bacon was also slow of sale, the demand from all classes of buyers being light, but prices were unchanged. A few small sales, amounting to about 250 boxes, were made within the range of 11½c. a 11¾c. for western and city long clear, 12½c. for city short do. and 10½c. a 11c. for Cumberland cut. Short rib was quoted at 11c. a 11½c. The market for lard was more active, but lower prices prevailed, prime Western closing at 12c., with moderate offerings. Sales 700 tierces Western prime steam at 12c., about 50 tierces city at from 12½c. to 12¾c.—the latter price for steam—750 tierces Western for March at 13c. a 13¼c., 500 do. for April at 13½c. The market for butter was without change of consequence. The good and prime grades were sought after to a fair extent and commanded full prices, the offerings being only moderate. The low and medium qualities were in limited demand, but not offered below former figures, holders generally being firm in their views. The market for cheese was without change of importance. A moderate business was transacted at prices not differing from those previously current, the demand being mainly for the better qualities. We quote:—Butter, common to fair State dairies, in tins, 25c. a 28c.; State, half firkin tubs, fair to extra, 31c. a 42c.; Welsh tubs, fair to extra, 28c. a 31c.; fresh pails, 35c. a 47c.; common to extra Western, 12c. a 25c. Cheese—Fair to extra State factories, 14c. a 16c.; skimmed and ordinary do., 3c. a 13½c.; State, farm dairies, fair to extra, 13½c. a 16½c.

PETROLEUM.—The market for crude, in bulk, was still very quiet, there being scarcely any demand, and holders were generally willing to sell at 14½c.; a lot of 500 bbls. was sold at that price. We hear of no other sales. Crude, in bbls., was dull and prices were entirely nominal. Naphtha was in more demand at quite steady prices; a cargo of 3,800 bbls. was sold at or about 10½c. The market for refined oil was still without activity, and prices were in buyers' favor; cargoes were obtainable at about 24½c., though the majority of holders demanded 24¾c. There were sold about 1,500 bbls. and 3,500 cases on private terms. There was no change in the price of jobbing lots, which were in moderate request. The Philadelphia market was very quiet, but steady at about 24½c. for lots on the spot and 24¾c. for March. A cargo of 2,800 bbls was sold on private terms.

RICE.—Carolina was a trifle firm, with a moderate demand and a small supply. A few small lots were sold within the range of 8½c. a 8¾c. for common to prime. Rangoon was selling in a small way at 7c. a 7½c.

SALTPETRE.—Crude was quiet at 7½c., gold, at which price the last sale was made.

SHOT was quiet and unchanged in value. We quote:—Drop 9½c.; buck, 10½c.

SOAP.—Castile was dull and nominal at 10½c. a 10¾c. No sales of moment were reported.

STEARINE.—The transactions were very light, but the market was strong for prime, which was quoted at 13½c. a 13¾c. in hhds. and tierces.

SEEDS.—Clover was moderately active and quoted at 11½c. a 11¾c., with sales of about 600 bags within the range; good lots were held at 11¾c. Timothy was dull and prices were nominal at $5 25. Linseed remained steady at $2 10 (gold), at which price 3,000 bags were sold on 60 days time.

SUGAR.—With a limited demand and fair offerings the market for raw was quiet and heavy, and prices were rather lower, closing at 8¾c. a 9c. for old crop fair to good refining Cuba, and 8¾c. a 9¼c for new. do. do. Holders were generally indisposed, however, to sell below yesterday's figures. There were sold 750 hhds. part at from 6¾c. a 10¼c., including Cuba at 9 76-100c. a 10¼c., 340 melado at 8¾c., also 267 boxes at 8¾c. a 9¾c. Refined was slow of sale and the market was heavy, at 13½c. for hard, 12½c. a 12¾c. for soft white and 11¾c. a 11¾c. for extra C. We quote:—Cuba—Interior to common refining, 8c. a 8¾c.; fair refining, 8¾c.; good refining, 9⅛.; fair to good grocery, 9¼c. a 9¾c.; prime to choice grocery, 10c. a 10¾c.; centrifugal, hogsheads and boxes, 9c. a 10½c.; molasses, hogsheads and boxes, 8c. a 9½c.; melado, 4c. a 7c. Havana—Boxes Dutch standard, Nos. 7 to 9, 8¾c. a 9c.; do., 10 to 12, 9½c. a 9¾c.; do., 13 to 15, 10c. a 10¾c.; do., 16 to 18, 11c. a 11½c.; do., 19 to 20, 12¾c. a 12½c.; do., white, 12c. a 13c. Porto Rico—Refining grades, 8½c. a 9¾c.; grocery grades, 9¾c. a 10¾c. Brazil—Dutch standard, Nos. 10 to 12, 9½c. a 9¾c.

SALTS.—Goal—Liverpool were in good request and rather stronger, while all other kinds were dull and unchanged in value. There were sold 330 bales Mexican, 112 do. Fayta, 60 do. Curacoa and 21 do. East India tanned, on private terms. There was a moderate business doing in deer at steady prices, the sales being 30,000 lbs. San Juan and 8,000 do. Para, on private terms. We quote:—Goat—Tampico, 50c. a 53c. per lb. gold; Matamoros, 50c. a 53c. do., do.; Vera Cruz, 52½c. a 55c.; Buenos Ayres, 47½c. a 52½c. do., currency; Fayta, 47½c. a 50c. do., do.; Curacoa, 56c. do., do.; Cape, 37c. do., do. Deer—Honduras, 36c. per lb., gold; Vera Cruz, 35c. do., do.; Central American trimmed, 41c. do., do.; do., do., no trimmed, 34c. do., do.; Sisal, 37c. do., do.; Para, 35c. a 36c. do., do.

TOBACCO.—There was a moderate business transacted in Kentucky, which was without change in value, the market being quite steady at our quotations below. There were sold 120 hhds., at from 6¾c. to 9½c. Seedleaf was dull and unchanged. Sales 150 cases, various kinds, at from 15c. to 50c. Spanish was dull and unchanged. We quote:—

	Light.	Heavy Western and Clarksville.
Kentucky.		
Frosted lugs	5½c. a 7½c.	— a —
Sound lugs	7½c. a 8c.	8c. a 8½c.
Common leaf	8½c. a 9c.	8¾c. a 8c.
Medium leaf	9½c. a 9¾c.	9½c. a 10c.
Good leaf	10c. a 11c.	10½c. a 11c.
Fine leaf	11½c. a 12c.	11½c. a 12c.
Selections	12½c. a 15c.	12½c. a 15c.
Seedleaf.		
Connecticut, choice wrappers	55c. a 75c.	
Connecticut, medium wrappers	40c. a 52½c.	
Connecticut, ordinary wrappers	37c. a 40c.	
Massachusetts, good to prime wrappers	40c. a 55c.	
Massachusetts, ordinary to medium wrappers	32c. a 37½c.	
New York wrappers	35c. a 50c.	
Pennsylvania wrappers	30c. a 45c.	
Ohio wrappers	25c. a 55c.	
New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio fillers	12c. a 15c.	

Havana—Common, to fine fillers, 85c. a $1 05.

Yara—Ill. cut, $1 10 a $1 13½.

TALLOW.—The demand was moderately active and prices were firmer for prime, the sales of which were 100,000 lbs. at 8½c. a 8¾c., almost all at the latter price.

WOOL.—There is a limited demand for fleece, but the market continues very strong. Sales have been mostly confined to small lots, and the aggregate transactions are quite light. Pulled wool is in moderate request, but the sales show no advance in prices. Foreign is void of special feature. We note a sale (subject to approval) of 100,000 lbs. Canada combing fleece, now in Canada, at 50c., gold

THE CARNIVAL IN WASHINGTON

Great Gala Day in the Capital.

Dismal Skies No Obstacle to the Festivities—Trotting and Running Races—Southern Chivalry Out in Full Force—The Procession—Droll Sights on the Avenue—What the Masquers Wore—Masquerade Ball—Conclusion of the Carnival.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

Washington never yet in all its history saw as mad a day and night as this, the second of the grand carnival. The day itself, contrary to all expectations, was a dismal one, succeeding the bright and sunny noon of Monday, and the sky had a very leaden look, threatening all sorts of misfortunes to the jovial masqueraders who had procured their costumes for a midday parade. Dismal as the day was the inhabitants of Washington and their very many thousands of guests, who came from every quarter, could not be prevented from thronging Pennsylvania avenue at an early hour in the morning to witness the coming spectacle.

THERE WERE FIVE RACES

at the opening of the day's sport, in which everybody ran his horse, regardless of his neighbor's comfort, from one end of the avenue to the other. This part of the spectacle did not seem an interesting one to the great, swarming, good-humored, democratic crowd, and they awaited the next act with exceeding anxiety. President Grant and family witnessed the scene from the balcony of the St. James Hotel, and sat the proceedings out with admirable patience. The display of horses and vehicles was much larger and handsomer than that of yesterday, but few equipages worthy of special note other than those mentioned in these despatches yesterday were seen. Upon the conclusion of the display premiums were awarded as follows:—For the best four-in-hand, a handsome whip; best public hack, a handsome pair of blankets; best private one-horse carriage, a handsome robe, and for the best private [illegible] team, a costly whip. Following the scrub races came

A TOURNAMENT,

in which forty or fifty young gentlemen, in tights and spangles, and wearing barret caps, with plumes of different colors, and having fiery heckles and wild scrubs, took part. There were the Knights of Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia in the medley throng, and each mediæval hero did his best best in tilting at the rings which were set up as a mark for their lances. One word should be said for these gentlemen. They all rode horses which had blood and fire in their veins, and they rode their animals as only Americans south of Mason and Dixon's line can ride. The tournament having ended without any fatal, the next feature of the programme was

TWO TROTTING RACES

to gentlemen's road wagons, the entries being District horses. This was followed by a running race under saddle, the most exciting and hotly contested of the day. Then came the grand feature of the day—

THE PROCESSION, EVOLUTIONS AND MUMMERIES

of over two thousand persons dressed in masquerade costumes—not the costumes which are seen on the streets of New York on the eve of Christmas Day, or on Thanksgiving—worn out, tattered and frayed and discolored beyond recognition, but costumes which had been made in Paris for the New Orleans Mardi Gras performers, of the most incongruous and yet elegant description, in which every known and unknown character of the globe was represented. The procession commenced its march at three o'clock and ended it at seven. By daylight the scene was almost attractive one, and doubly so after dusk, when the masqueraders provided themselves with torches, Chinese lanterns, &c. The procession was headed by the Lord of Misrule, arrayed in kingly costume and exercising despotic sway over his motley throng of subjects. The first division included a squad of sixty small boys dressed in imitation of the Washington policemen, and officered by a six foot Falstaffian-looking chief. Representations of the principal characters of Mother Goose's melodies, Humpty Dumpty, Old Woman in a Shoe, Old Mother Hubbard, Mary with her little lamb, Little Red Riding Hood, Old King Cole, &c. The second division had at its head a wagon containing various characters and representing the

INAUGURATION OF THE FIRST FEMALE PRESIDENT,

and burlesques on the organization of affairs under a government composed exclusively of women, including a female police corps, female militia company, with toasting forks, and a cavalry company with brooms for weapons. Indian Commissioners were represented by two stalwart Indian chiefs hobnobbing with a couple of prim Quakeresses; the Patent Commissioner by a man feeding a baby with a nursing bottle, while his other half sat at a sewing machine smoking a cigar. Other carriages contained masqueraders with masks representing prominent Congressmen, while another represented the editorial room of a newspaper, with Horace Greeley in rags, news editors with enormous scissors, nautical reporter with huge telescope and many small reporters with very large pens and notebooks.

In the third division were several hundred masqueraders in every conceivable costume, who executed various fantastic dances and general tricks, much to the amusement of all. This masquerade procession was considered one of the very best features of the entire carnival. In the evening the buildings along the entire length of the avenue were again illuminated, and, if possible, more brilliantly than on the previous evening. Shortly after seven o'clock

THE PYROTECHNICAL DISPLAY

was given. Among the best pieces were a Masonic jewel, Continental Union cockade, original Yankee windmill and fountain of sparkling silver. The exhibition terminated with a grand temple in honor of Washington, 100 feet in length, and displaying a gorgeous combination of variegated fires, detonating maroons, sun cases and fireworks of all kinds known to the science of pyrotechny. The entire avenue was a blaze of light, the line of Chinese lanterns extending the length of it on either side. The calcium lights, the brilliant window illuminations, the gas jets, the flag decorations, the waving banners, the dense mass of humanity surging up and down its length, the gay bands of music mingling with the joyous shouts and careful laughter of the admiring throng, and the splendid equipages rolling to and fro, with their gayly decked steeds, composed a scene which has never before been witnessed in the national capital. Many of these turnouts dashed along in the direction of the National theatre where a

GRAND MASQUERADE BALL,

the closing event of the carnival, took place. The exterior of the theatre presented a very attractive appearance, with its gay festoons of national flags, and the Jennes House, adjoining, in which the supper was given, was among the most beautifully decorated buildings in the city. It was completely covered with flags, and in the centre a large portrait of Washington was draped in the red, white and blue. Flowers were mingled with the flags and streamers, and on the top of the house the large gilt wings of an eagle were spread. Festoons of Chinese lanterns shed a rich golden brilliancy over the scene. The doors of the theatre were thrown open at a quarter to nine o'clock, and a promiscuous crowd rushed into the building. The stage and the orchestra were floored over, affording considerable room for dancing. Skins of bunting were festooned from the ceiling. Flags were draped over the stage opposite the entrance, and in the centre of the stage a large star, composed of crimson, white and gold, glittered, and just beneath it was a crimson banner, bearing the inscription in gold letters, "Grand Masque Ball." The parquet and circe circle were occupied by spectators. The band was stationed in a section of the dress circle. At half-past nine the grand promenade march began and

VERY VARIETY OF GROTESQUE FIGURES

and persons in curious costumes kept time to the music. Among them was one representing winter—a short dress of white poplin was covered with frosted illusion, which glittered like a shower of diamonds; slippers and a blue fancy cap of the same. A petite, graceful figure appeared in a white satin Spanish dress, with scarlet lace on the skirt, edged with gold fringe; a scarlet satin overskirt, elaborately trimmed with gold, and a blue velvet jacket, almost covered with gold embroidery, and a Spanish cap completed this costume. A Greek dress of white and green satin, with silver trimmings, attracted much notice. Of course there were the inevitable Night, Morning, Paul Pry, Yankee Doodleman, peasant girls, seasons, Hamlet, Lears, Highlanders, jokers and flower girls. At half-past ten the band struck up "Hail to the Chief!"

THE TREE: BEST AND PARTY

entered a private box. Immediately afterward the festivities were regularly inaugurated by a quadrille, a page, in a scarlet and green velvet costume, glittering with gold embroidery and trimmed with ermine, followed with a Mohawk Indian. Many other hold-some dances were worn, and the fairest lady fairly danced the Lenten dawn shimmered over the east before the weary dancers retired away to their homes.

New Orleans Carnival.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21, 1871.

The carnival passes off quietly. The strangers in the city are estimated at 75,000, 20,000 having arrived within the past four days. The hotels are overflowing. Those arriving by boats for the past two days retain 11 or staterooms for want of hotel accommodation.

OBITUARY.

Hortense Katharina Schneider.

This distinguished artiste in *opéra bouffe*, the representative prima donna of Offenbach, died in London yesterday. She was born in Bordeaux in 1836, and was consequently thirty-five years of age. She first appeared on the *opéra bouffe* stage at her native place, Bordeaux. She played through the provinces, and finally appeared at the Variétés theatre, in Paris, ten years ago. Her salary at that time and for that theatre was only 3,000 francs a year, a sum that would not have begun to keep her in gloves during the later years of her career. She played four years at this theatre, and finally quarrelled with the manager on account of the meagreness of her pay, and left. She then went to the Palais Royal, where she appeared in "Le Pouchie Grasso," "La Marie du Régiment Grasso" and "Le Diable Rose." It was here she attracted the attention of Offenbach. He discovered how aptly she was adapted for the style of *opéra bouffe* with which he was then enchanting the Parisians, and he at once engaged her again at Le Variétés. He wrote "La Grande Duchesse" especially for her and gave her 400 francs a night. Afterward, when Offenbach left the Variétés and took the Bouffe Parisian she went with him, and ever after played only under his management. Her voice was not strong but sweet and wonderfully sympathetic, and was the only voice known to the public which could be said to be just suited to Offenbach's music. As might well have been expected she was very capricious. She frequently failed to appear through caprice, and sang well or indifferently as happened to suit her whim of the moment.

Regarding her London engagement, it was reported, and, in fact, it is well known, that the Prince of Wales contributed most extensively to her success, so much so that it became a matter of town scandal. Mlle. Silly, *ex-prima donna* of Fisk's Opera House, was the particular object during one season of Mlle. Schneider's engagement in Paris of the lamented artiste's entirety. Between Silly and Schneider, whatever may have been the merits of the quarrel, the Parisian papers were filled with scandal, recriminations and abuse for several weeks. After Schneider we know of no *opéra bouffe artiste* who can make Offenbach a success. *Opéra bouffe* has already been killed in this country. Schneider was considered the representative of *opéra bouffe*, and with her expires this frothy bubble of *sou disant* music.

Commodore Peter Turner, United States Navy.

[illegible] of the Naval Asylum at Philadelphia, died in charge [illegible] that institution. Commodore [illegible] on the 18th inst. at [illegible] Island, and was Turner was born in Rhode [illegible] the 4th of March, 1825. appointed from that State on [illegible]

He served in the sloop Cyane, on the Brazil station, in 1827; was promoted to passed midshipman March 23, 1829; commissioned lieutenant June 21, 1832; attached to receiving ship at Boston, 1833–4; schooner Boxer, Pacific squadron, 1837; frigate Constitution, Pacific Squadron, 1840; frigate Raritan, Brazil squadron, 1845–6; special duty Navy Yard, Portsmouth, 1847–50; commanding storeship Southampton, 1852; commissioned commander July 1, 1861; commissioned as commodore July 16, 1862. He was a popular and gallant officer, and his death takes away another from among the few remaining naval officers of the olden time.

William E. Gibbs.

This gentleman, prominent in Rhode Island politics half a century ago, died at Newport yesterday, in the eighty-fourth year of his age. Mr. Gibbs was born in Rhode Island, and from 1821 to 1824 held the position of Governor of the State. Personally he was an estimable gentleman, and was much esteemed by all who knew him.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Train on the Boston and Fitchburg Railroad Thrown from the Track—Narrow Escape of Employes from a Frightful Death.

BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

As the seven A. M. train from Providence and Boston for Fitchburg was passing between Southboro and Northboro, near the State Farm station, and running at the rate of twenty miles an hour, the forward car, containing the baggage and express freight, was thrown from the track, followed by two passenger cars and the United States and Canada express car in the rear of them. The engine kept the track. The baggage and express cars were precipitated down a steep embankment. The passenger cars, however, remained near the track and their occupants were unharmed. William Colburn, the conductor; B. L. Lincoln, baggage-master, and L. Osborn, brakeman, were in the baggage car at the time of the accident, and the passengers immediately set to work to rescue them. Colburn was found unhurt. Lincoln was taken from the wreck senseless, and Osborn was severely injured in the back. The safe in the express car fell upon the messenger, Mr. Hall, and he was badly bruised. Mr. Cyrus Collins was the only passenger injured.

THE BOGUS DIVORCE BUSINESS.

Another Call for House—He is Wanted at Litchfield—More Perjury.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 21, 1871.

On Monday evening Sheriff Botchkiss, of this city, received a warrant issued by Henry C. Graves, Justice of the Peace of the town of Litchfield, directing him to arrest Orson A. House, now confined in the jail here under the charges of subornation of perjury, and bring him before said Graves to answer to the charge of perjury. The warrant alleges that one Daniel J. Sprague, of Buffalo, N. Y., brought a petition to the Superior Court of Litchfield county, alleging that he lived in Cornwall, Conn.; that he was married November 25, 1855, to Arminda D. Sprague, and that on the 18th of March, 1866, she abandoned him; also that said petition was heard on the 20th of April, 1868, before the Superior Court, when Alfred M. House, alias M. O. House, alias E. O. House, alias M. House, alias O. A. House, of New York, appeared as a witness and swore that he knew Sprague and that Sprague had resided for five years in the town of Cornwall, in Litchfield county, and that his wife had abandoned him, all of which was false. The warrant has not been served yet, and it is proposed to wait and see if House gets bail in the cases in which he was bound over on Saturday last, and if he does to then arrest him and take him to Litchfield, Sprague, the petitioner, was arrested last fall and tried for perjury at Litchfield, but the jury failed to agree upon a verdict.

MYSTERIOUS ARREST.

One of the Philadelphia Bank Robbers Supposed to be in Custody.

A mysterious arrest was made by some of the officials at Police Headquarters at a late hour last night, and the unfortunate individual placed under lock and key. At a late hour in the night a prominent member of the legal profession, accompanied by a well known city official, visited headquarters and desired an interview with the prisoner; but Superintendent Kelso not being present to sanction the request, the attorney was compelled to defer his legal advice and influence until this morning.

From information received by a HERALD reporter from a private source, it is probable the officers have captured one of the desperadoes who burned and gagged the night watchman of the Kensington Bank in Philadelphia on the night of February 3, and robbed that institution of $60,000.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

Tuesday, Feb. 21—11:47 P. M.

WAR DEPARTMENT.
SIGNAL SERVICE, UNITED STATES ARMY.

Place of Observation	Barometer corrected for Temperature	Temperature	Dew Point	Humidity	Force of the Wind	State of the Weather
Augusta, Ga.	30.06	52	—	—	Calm.	Cloudy.
Baltimore	30.42	36	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Boston	30.33	14	N.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Buffalo	30.42	18	S. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Charleston	30.12	56	—	—	Calm.	Fair.
Cheyenne	29.05	23	W.	1		Clear.
Chicago, Ill	29.40	20	N. E.	5	Brisk.	Fair.
Cincinnati	30.03	27	N. E.	5	Brisk.	Fair.
Cleveland	30.45	19	N. E.	5	Brisk.	Clear.
Corinne, Utah	29.94	20	N. E.	5	Brisk.	Snow.
Detroit	30.42	16	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Dunish	29.87	23	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Fair.
Indianapolis	30.17	24	E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Key West, Fla.	30.19	70	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Fair.
Knoxville	30.09	52	W.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Lake City, Fla.	30.10	55	S. W.	5	Brisk.	Fair.
Milwaukee	30.38	27	S. E.	5	Brisk.	Clear.
Mobile, Ala.	30.09	59	S.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Nashville	30.04	37	S. E.	5	Gentle.	Rain.
N. Orleans, La.	30.06	62	S. W.	5	Gentle.	Fair.
New York	29.42	26	N. W.	5	Brisk.	Clear.
Omaha, Neb.	29.98	34	S. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Oswego	30.46	22	S. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Philadelphia	30.42	34	N.	5	Brisk.	Clear.
Pittsburg, Pa.	29.45	29	N. W.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Portland, Me.	30.36	9	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Rochester, N.Y.	30.32	14	S.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Savannah	30.11	57	—	—	Calm.	Clear.
St. Paul	30.21	8	S. E.	5	Gentle.	Cloudy.
Toledo, Ohio	30.43	20	S.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Washington	30.24	29	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.
Wilmington, N.C.	30.31	46	N. E.	5	Brisk.	Cloudy.
Norfolk	—	37	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Cloudy.
New London	30.32	16	N. E.	5	Gentle.	Clear.

Barometer corrected for elevation and temperature.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

ALBANY, Feb. 21, 1871.

The Supreme Court, General Term, to-day affirmed the judgment of the court at Binghamton, in the case of Ruloff. Opinions were delivered by Judges Miller and Potter.

In the trial of John J. Fikins, the alleged express robber, only one juror was obtained to-day out of over twenty called and examined. The court adjourned till Thursday.

LARGE FIRE IN BEEKMAN STREET.

A Fireman Injured.

At twenty minutes past one o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the second floor of the four story brick building No. 29 Beekman street, completely destroying the building, which was owned by William O'Connor.

The first floor, occupied by the Providence Tool Company, was damaged $30,000; the second, third and fourth floors, occupied by A. W. McIlowell, Jr., & Co., printers and lithographers, damaged $20,000. The loss on building is estimated at $30,000.

John Riley, a member of Engine Company No. 7, was nearly suffocated with smoke. He was removed from the building in an insensible condition and conveyed to Park Hospital, where it was discovered he had received severe wounds about the head and body. At half-past two o'clock this morning the fire is still burning and communicating to the adjoining building, No. 31. Owing to the lateness of the hour it could not be ascertained whether there was any insurance or not.

MASSACHUSETTS INTELLIGENCE.

Catholic Temperance Movement—Embezzlement by Bank Officers—The French Relief Fund.

BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

A movement has been inaugurated looking towards a union of all Catholic temperance societies in Massachusetts for a better promulgation of the temperance cause.

The *Transcript* learns that through the instrumentality of the National Bank Examiners in this district several delinquencies in the conduct of the officers of the Boston National Bank have been brought to light. The extent of misapplication of funds has not been exactly ascertained; but it is confidently believed that the bank will not suffer any loss, except the loss of the services of unfaithful officials.

The French relief fund of Boston amounts to $79,000.

The Merrimac river at, Lowell, has risen three feet from the recent rains.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Almanac for New York—This Day.

Sun rises	6 45	Moon sets...eve	9 01
Sun sets	5 44	High water...eve	10 43

OCEAN STEAMERS.

DATE OF DEPARTURES FROM NEW YORK FOR THE MONTHS OF FEBRUARY AND MARCH.

Steamer.	Sails	Destination.	Office.
Acadia	Feb 22	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Colorado	Feb 22	Liverpool	29 Broadway.
Australia	Feb 22	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Pereire	Feb 23	Havre	58 Broadway.
Wisconsin	Mar 1	Liverpool	29 Broadway.
Trojan	Mar 1	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Columbia	Mar 4	Glasgow	7 Bowling Green
Wyoming	Mar 8	Liverpool	29 Broadway.

PORT OF NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 21, 1871.

CLEARED.

Steamship Pennsylvania (Br), Lawson, Liverpool—National Steamship Co.

Steamship City of Manchester (Br), Eynon, Liverpool via Halifax—John G Dale.

Steamship Columbia (Br), Small, Glasgow—Henderson Bros.

Steamship South America, Tinklepaugh, Rio Janeiro, &c—W R Garrison.

Steamship Cautatro (Sp), Mauson, St Jago—J E de Rivera & Co.

Steamship Leo, Dearborn, Savannah—Murray, Ferris & Co.

Steamship Charleston, Berry, Charleston—H R Morgan & Co.

Steamship Wm P Clyde, Parker, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond.

Steamship Saratoga, Couch, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond—Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Steamship Isaac Bell, Blakeman, Norfolk—Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Steamship Regulator, Freeman, Philadelphia—Lorillard Steamship Co.

Steamship Glaucus, Walden, Boston—H W Whitney.

Ship Osceola (Br), Kerr, Liverpool—Henderson Bros.

Ship Cornelius Grinnell, Griffin, London—Grinnell, Minturn & Co.

Ship Crusader (Br), Jenking, London—Funch, Edye & Co.

Steamship Saratoga, Couch, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond—Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Ship Marianna III (Port), Palha, Lisbon—L E Amstinck & Co.

Ship Fawn, Luce, Galveston—Thos Dunham's Nephew & Co.

Bark John Banfield (Br), Williams, Bristol, E—Geo F Bulley.

Bark Bessie North (Br), Porter, Cork or Falmouth for orders—H J DeWolf & Co.

Bark Montezuma, Hammond, Barbados—T T & F A Dwight & Co.

Bark Deborah Pennell, Reed, Southwest Pass for orders—Nesmith & Sons.

Brig J Bickmore, Henley, Havana—Brett, Son & Co.

Brig Cheviot, Whitney, Havana—J E Ward & Co.

Brig Josie, Pettigrew, Cienfuegos—Simpson & Clapp.

Brig Paratia, Edgett, Matanzas—Henry & Parker.

Brig Omer, Comeau, Digby, NS—Henry & Parker.

Schr Carrie Douglass (Br), Wymers, Port au Prince—Brett, Son & Co.

Schr Martha S Pike, Howard, Kingston, Ja—B J Wenberg.

Schr Mary E Woodhull, Davis, Brazos Santiago—Woodhouse, Southmayd & Rudd.

Schr Ridgewood, Derrickson, Georgetown and Port Bluff, SC—E O Hurlbut & Co.

Schr Constitution, Smith, Newbern—Jonas Smith & Co.

Schr American Eagle, Shaw, Wilmington, Del—Wm Chalmers.

Schr Bessie Morris, Allen, Philadelphia—J W Elwell & Co.

Schr Continental, Stephenson, New Haven—T S Pope & Bros.

Schr Lewis Jane, Sypher, New Haven—Ferguson & Wood.

ARRIVALS.

REPORTED BY THE HERALD STEAM YACHTS.

Steamship Wisconsin (Br), Williams, Liverpool Feb 8, with mdse and passengers, to Williams & Guion. Experienced heavy westerly gales to the 14th, when it blew a hurricane from W, since then moderate weather and clear; Feb 17, lat 42 12, lon 49 50, passed a Cunard steamer, bound E; 18th, lat 44 21, lon 63 51, exchanged signals with a North German steamer, do; same date, lat 44 21, lon 65 51, with an Anchor line steamer, do; 19th, lat 40 29, lon 69 35, passed steamship Iowa, hence for Glasgow.

Steamship City of Brooklyn (Br), Brooks, Liverpool Feb 9, and Queenstown 10th, with mdse and 312 passengers, to J G Dale. Feb 17, lat 43 37, lon 47 12, passed steamship City of Cork, hence for Liverpool; 19th, lat 41 31, lon 62 06, exchanged night signals with a Cunard steamer, bound E.

Steamship Cleopatra, Phillips, Havana Feb 16, with mdse and 1 passenger, to F Alexandre & Sons.

Steamship San Jacinto, Hazard, Savannah Feb 18, with mdse and passengers, to W R Garrison.

Steamship Niagara, Blakeman, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, with mdse and passengers, to the Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Steamship Isaac Bell, Blakeman, Norfolk, with mdse and passengers, to the Old Dominion Steamship Co.

Steamship E C Knight, Johnson, Georgetown, DC, and Alexandria, with mdse, to G E Kunzig.

Bark Casco, Gardner, Minatitlan Jan 11, and Coatzacoalcos 25th, with mahogany, &c, to Geo S Stephenson & Co. In lat 20 lo. lon 94 05, experienced a violent gale from NW; thence to lat 22, lon 79 05, light, variable weather; since encountered gales from NW, NE and ESE; passed Cape Hatteras 16th inst; 18th, had a heavy gale from S to SE, and hove to for 8 hours under close reefed maintopsail; in lat 34 44, lon 75 25, saw a large turtle. Steering S by compass as his chart and a fair wind could carry him; 19th, 30 miles SW by W of the Highlands, took a pilot from boat F Perkins, No 18.

Brig Eastern Star (of New Haven), Foster, Demerara, 22 days, with sugar, &c, to H Trowbridge's Sons, from lat of Bermuda. Had heavy westerly and NE gales; been 6 days north of Hatteras.

Brig La Cayenne (Br), Doherty, Aux Cayes Feb 4, with logwood and coffee, to Morrison & Barlow. Had heavy weather from the lat of Bermuda; split and lost sails; been 6 days N of Hatteras.

Brig Isidora Rionda (Br), Plummer, Matanzas 15 days, with sugar to Vornes, Smith & Co—vessel to master. Been 7 days N of Hatteras, with head gales.

Schr Florence I Lockwood (of Norwalk), St John, Tallahs, Ja, 18 days, with logwood to A H Solomon & Co—vessel to Thomas, Holmes & Co. Had fine weather to Hatteras; been 7 days north of that point with westerly gales and occasional calms.

Schr Africana (Aus), Nierich, Matanzas, 16 days, with sugar and molasses, to Miller & Bastian—vessel to order. Had heavy NNE and NW gales; lost jibboom and stove bulwarks; been 8 days north of Hatteras.

Schr Jura (Br), Corson, Harbor Grace, NF, 23 days, with fish, to R P Currie. Had heavy westerly gales; lost jibboom, stove bulwarks, lost and split sails, and was obliged to throw overboard part of the cargo for the safety of the vessel.

Schr Addie Wessels, Lawson, St Andrews, 22 days, with cocoanuts, &c, to G Wessels. Had heavy weather.

Schr Matilda Brooks (of Brookhaven), Jones, Indianola, 20 days, with hides and cotton, to Evans, Ball & Co. Had fine weather. Been 5 days north of Hatteras.

Schr John S Ingraham (of Rockland), Packard, New Orleans 18 days, with indigo, to John S Ingraham & Co. Had fine weather the entire passage; Feb 17, lat 30 50, lon 73 40, spoke schr Hattie Ellen, from New York for Savannah. (The J S I arrived 20th.)

Schr D Pierson, Pierson, Darien, Ga, 19 days, with lumber, to master.

Schr Palma, Rankin, Georgetown, SC, 6 days, with naval stores, to Bentley, Miller & Thomas.

Passed Through Hell Gate.

BOUND SOUTH.

Steamship Neptune, Baker, Boston for New York, with mdse and passengers, to H F Dimock.

Brig Volant (Br), Gaston, Salt Key for New York, 15 days, with salt to D McColl—vessel to Hatton, Watson & Co. Had fine weather the whole passage; Feb 5, in Turks Islands Passage, spoke brig Surprise (Br), Scotts, from Boston for Kingston.

Schr James G Carr, Bruce, Fortune Bay for New York, with frozen herring to master.

Schr Alfred Walton, Guptill, Fortune Bay for New York, with frozen herring to master.

Schr Annie E Friend, Staples, West Isles, NB, for New York, with herring to master.

Schr Wilbard G Fisher (new, 3-masted, 500 tons), Baker, Calais for New York, with ship timber to Boardman & Richardson.

Schr Atlanta Stokes, Jameson, Wood's Hole for New York, in ballast, to J R Brown.

Schr Blendel, Chapman, Tarrytown for New York, with fish to master.

Schr Sun, Abbott, New London for Elizabethport.

Schr Quintessence, Harding, New Haven for Virginia.

Schr Horace L Francis, New Haven for New York.

Schr M L Wallbridge, Terry, New Haven for Virginia.

Schr Lavina Jane, Terry, New Haven for New York.

Schr Reul, Montgomery, New Haven for New York.

Schr Niagara, Worden, Bridgeport for New York.

Schr Revere, Warren, Bridgeport for Jersey City.

Schr Josephine, Bagley, Bridgeport for Elizabethport.

Schr Charles Hazard, Clark, Bridgeport for New York.

Schr Elm City, Adams, Bridgeport for Elizabethport.

Schr Brandywine, Vorgar, Bridgeport for New York.

Schr Nellie Shoemaker, Holdron, Stamford for New York.

Schr S P Godwin, Waterbury, Stamford for New York.

Schr Eagle, Steward, Cold Spring for New York.

Steamer Dixie, Young, Providence for New York.

BOUND EAST.

Steamship Geneva, Walden, New York for Boston.

Schr Alex H Gale, Simpson, Baltimore for Boston.

Schr Watchful, Reynolds, Elizabethport for Providence.

Schr John Brooks, Fox, Jersey City for New Haven.

Schr Mary A Rice, Rice, Jersey City for Providence.

Schr Herald, Hall, New York for Portland.

Schr Mary Brewer, Pease, New York for Rockland.

Schr E E Potter, Ellsworth, New York for Greenport.

Steamer Osprey, Kenny, New York for Providence.

Steamer Gaspee, Nye, New York for Providence.

Lumbering around Hart Island floats and at Little Neck Bay the ice in Long Island Sound has very considerably diminished since yesterday. Sailing craft can now pass through without any serious difficulty. The steamship Neptune, from Boston for New York, is at anchor off Whitestone, and will proceed in the morning. Wind at 9 PM due North, blowing almost a gale.

BELOW.

Bark Amadine (Br), Burrows, from Amoy Oct 20, with tea, to order (by pilot boat Mary E Fish, No 4).

Bark Brother's Pride (Br), Boulton, from Liverpool, Dec 24, with mdse, to Snow & Burgess—vessel to H J De Wolf & Co (by Pilot Boat Mary E Fish, No 4).

SAILED.

Steamships Pennsylvania, Liverpool; City of Manchester, do via Halifax; South America, Rio Janeiro, &c; Leo, Savannah; Charleston, Charleston; Saratoga, and W P Clyde, Richmond, &c; Regulator, Philadelphia; ship Fawn, Galveston; bark Storm Bird, Wilmington, NC; brigs Emily Walters, Cardenas; G W Chase, do; W H Bickmore, Matanzas.

Wind at sunset NNE.

Shipping Notes.

☞ The Custom House will be open from 9 to 10 o'clock this morning.

Pier No 29 North river, at the foot of Warren street, is to be demolished, preparatory to being rebuilt in a thorough manner to accommodate a line of coastwise steamers.

It is a matter of the greatest importance that the bill for the protection of seamen now lying upon the table of the House of Representatives should have instant action. It has passed the Senate and been made the subject of a favorable report by the House Committee on Commerce, but it cannot get any further. It would seem, consequently, that poor Jack has no political strength, but the army of thieves and boarding house keepers, men who own shipping offices and their friends, who live by fishing from the poor sailor, have the ability to advance their own interests. We hope the measure now pending, which is of such vital importance to a useful but dependent body of men, will engage the attention of the members of the House and they try to understand its value to the commercial interests of the country. The British Parliament passed a law some forty years ago for the protection of seamen, depriving the sharpers of their privileges and giving the sailors an opportunity to ship for a voyage without undergoing personal outrage. The bill now on the table of the House assimilates to the British act, which has been of such benefit to the seaman, and therefore the proposed measure of relief has the advantage of successful application to recommend it. No objection can be made to its provisions, and it is to be hoped that soon the merchants and thousands of others throughout the country who are so interested in the well-being of this important interest will have the satisfaction of hearing of the successful passage of the bill and its becoming a law.

The resolution introduced in the State Senate last week having in view the regulation of the rates of wharfage in New York and Brooklyn is of interest. It provides that the following may be charged:—From every vessel of 200 tons burden and under, two cents per ton, and for every ton over 200 tons burden one-half cent per ton, except that all canal boats navigating the canals of this State, North river barges used in transporting coal or oil, shall pay one-[illegible] rate of wharfage as required by law of April 10, 1860. Lighters to be one-half of the rates provided for in first section. Owners of piers may charge one cents per ton on all goods, merchandise and materials which remain on their piers over night.

Marine Disasters.

BARK TARIA TOPAN, at Boston 15th inst from Muscat, reports Feb 1, lat 32 17, lon 71 32, picked up a boat, with "Maggie Cain, Philadelphia," on her stern.

BARK CHANTICLEER, from Pensacola to Rio Janeiro, arrived at Demerara 28th ult, via Berbice, with captain deceased and vessel in distress, leaking and short of provisions. (The C was before reported ordered by US consul at Berbice to proceed to Barbados.)

BRIG ANNIE M YOUNG (Br), Murphy, from Liverpool for New York, before reported at St Thomas leaky, sailed Feb 5 for destination, having repaired.

BRIG DAISY (Br), Butler, from St Marys, Ga, for Montevideo, with a cargo of lumber, put into Pernambuco Jan 13 leaky.

SCHR ABBOTT LAWRENCE, Mayo, from Boston Feb 2, for Surinam, experienced a terrific hurricane on the 5th, continuing until the 8th, during which had deck swept and cabin filled with water and the vessel sprung aleak, and was obliged to bear up for St George, Bermuda, where she arrived on the 11th inst, as before reported. Would discharge cargo and hoped to be ready for sea by the 22d inst.

SCHR SHILOH, Hubbard, at Saltmarsh from Matanzas, had heavy weather; lost mainsail, mainboom, mainsail, maingaffsail, bulwarks and stancheons; also got ashore on Plum Point on night of 14th inst, but came off on the next day, leaking slightly.

SCHR CRUSADER, with a cargo of pig iron, bound to New Haven, was ashore one mile west of Eaton's Neck, LI, on the 18th inst; she has lost both anchors and chains.

GLASGOW, Feb 4—Yesterday the bark Antilles was taken into Kingston Dock. She has been discharged of her cargo, and the bags of clay that formed the bulkhead for raising her have also been taken out. Her stern now floats so high that the damaged part is above water mark. The total quantity of cargo taken from her amounts to about 4,400 bols of wheat and Indian corn. The remainder of the wheat, amounting to 1,600 bolls, is to be sold to-day.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb 10—Part of the crew of the American bark Annie Kimball brought in here on the 30th ult the French bark Ville de Dieppe, laden with cotton and wood, which they picked up derelict off Waterford.

The ship N & E Gardner, Journey, from London for New York, with a general cargo, put in here 8th inst, with rudder damaged.

The bark Sylvia (Nor), Olsen, which arrived here on the 8th from Philadelphia, had on board the captain and crew of the American bark Isaac R Davis, which were rescued under great difficulties, in lat 46 30 N, lon 24 31, in a gale of wind and heavy sea. The bark lay to for four hours before the crew could be taken off.

The steamship Crescent City, from New Orleans, with a general cargo, struck on a rock within 200 yards of Galley Head, on this coast, 8th inst, and has become a total wreck. Crew and passengers landed safely. She had on board $240,000 in specie, a portion of which has been saved.

SUNDERLAND, Feb 5—The Rajah (s), arrived here from Bremen, reports having passed on the 3d inst, riding at the entrance of the Weser, bark Lincoln, of New York, and the ship Wallace, of Boston, all well, the former for the Libe, but both detained in consequence of the ice.

SEAVIEW, Feb 5—Capt Langdon, of the American ship Mary E Riggs, from New York for Antwerp, which put into the Motherbank 3d inst, reports made the run to the Cape of the Channel in 22 days, and was beating up Channel 14 days with light east winds.

ST HELENA, Jan 13—Another survey was held on the 9th inst on the bark Jennie Ellingwood, of St Andrews, NB, from Sundswall from Melbourne, which put in here leaky; certain necessary repairs were recommended, so that she may be able to reship her cargo and proceed to her port of destination.

Miscellaneous.

Purser J T Baldwin, of the steamship Cleopatra, from Havana, has our thanks for favors.

We are indebted to Purser H Gorham, of the steamship San Jacinto, from Savannah, for favors.

Notice to Mariners.

AFRICA: WEST COAST—GAMBIA RIVER—BUOY ON AREGAN KNOLL.
HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE, ADMIRALTY,
LONDON, Jan 24, 1871.

Information has been received from the Governor of the West African Settlements that a Black Buoy with Cage has been moored upon the east end of the African Knoll, entrance of Gambia river, in 2½ fathoms at low water. Position, lat 13 deg 34 min 40 sec N, lon 16 deg 36 min 30 sec W.

Also that no lighthouse is now stationed at the river entrance.

By command of their Lordships,
GEO. HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer.

Whalemen.

Arrived at Barbados Jan 25, schr S E Lewis, Paine, of Boston, with 50 bbls oil; 29th, bark Mary Frazier, Caswell, of NB, 450 do (and sailed 30th); Feb 6, schr Antarctic, Corpell, of Fairhaven, 300 do; 8th, ship Com Morris, Barton, do, 730 do.

Sailed from do Jan 30, schrs G J Jones, Ears, of FH, to cruise; Feb 6, schr G M Bennington, Remington, of Provincetown, do.

Arrived at Angra Bay Dec 17, John P West, Manchester, of New Bedford (and proceeded same day).

Spoken—No date, &c (by bark Napoleon, at Norfolk Island Nov 25), ship James Arnold, Briggs, New Bedford, 400

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Cooks, &c.

8 EAST 53D ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS GOOD cook; best references. Can be seen for two days at present employer's.

21 4TH ST., BETWEEN LAFAYETTE PLACE AND Bowery.—As first class cook; understands her business thoroughly; public house preferred. Good city reference.

21 JAY ST.—AN AMERICAN WOMAN, AS COOK, washer and ironer, or to do general housework. Good reference given.

52 SPRING ST.—A COMPETENT WOMAN AS MEAT and pastry cook in hotel or restaurant. Best reference given.

104 8TH AV., IN THE STORE.—A RESPECTABLE young woman as cook in a small private family; is a good washer and ironer; best reference can be given.

118 EAST 32D ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN AS first class cook; would assist with the washing and ironing, and her daughter to take care of children and do chamberwork; best city references.

124 WEST 53D ST.—AS FIRST CLASS COOK, BY AN honest, eager and agreeable girl; can take full charge of the kitchen in a small family; has best city references.

147 EAST 48ST ST.—A RESPECTABLE, COMPETENT girl as good cook and to assist with washing in a private family; best city references.

151 EAST 81ST ST.—TWO RESPECTABLE YOUNG women, sisters; one would cook, wash and iron, the other as chambermaid and waitress; best city reference.

151 EAST 33D ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN AS COOK, washer and ironer in a small private family; unexceptionable references.

158 WEST 18TH ST.—TWO GIRLS; ONE AS COOK, washer and ironer; the other as chambermaid and waitress; willing and obliging; two years' city references from last place.

159 WEST 26TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS PROTESTANT cook; understands all kinds of pastry and meats; good city references. Can be seen for two days.

159 WEST 27TH ST.—AS FIRST RATE COOK; WILL also do the washing and ironing of a private family; city references.

205 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 7TH AV.—A COMPEtent woman as first class cook; understands all branches of cooking; will go to a hotel, boarding house or restaurant; city reference.

208 EAST 37TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS., second floor.—A respectable woman as cook and is willing to assist with the washing; has good city references. Can be seen for two days.

212 WEST 52D ST. AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN as cook; understands all kinds of meats, soups and poultry; is an excellent baker; willing and obliging; best city reference.

215 EAST 27TH ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A COMPETENT young woman, who thoroughly understands her business, as first class cook in a private family or boarding house. Call or address.

221 EAST 36TH ST.—A COMPETENT WOMAN AS cook and baker in a gentleman's family; willing to assist the laundress; city reference.

222 WEST 26TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman as cook, washer and ironer in a private family.

230 1ST AV., NEAR 13TH ST.—A COMPETENT WOman as cook; understands all kinds of baking; is a good washer and ironer; no objection to the country; good city reference.

234 WEST 27TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A PROFESSED French cook, to a first class family.

237 EAST 25TH ST., SECOND FLOOR, BACK room.—As cook, washer and ironer; has good city reference.

238 EAST 24TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS., third floor, front.—Two respectable girls; one as good second cook; the other as chambermaid and waitress; would assist in the washing and ironing, willing to go a short distance in the country; 11 years' city reference.

241 6TH AV., BETWEEN 16TH AND 17TH STS.—A respectable girl as good plain cook, bread and biscuit maker and washer and ironer; good city reference.

251 SPRING ST., THIRD FLOOR, REAR.—A WOman as cook, washer and ironer, or to do general housework in a small family.

255 WEST 27TH ST., IN THE REAR.—A RESPECTable girl as cook; understands all kinds of cooking—meats, soups, desserts of all kinds, French and American; no objection to a private boarding house. Best city references.

306 EAST 24TH ST., TOP FLOOR.—A MIDDLE aged Scotch woman as cook, washer and ironer; no objection to the country.

324 EAST 33D ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A respectable woman as good plain cook and excellent washer and ironer; good city reference given.

343 EAST 35TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl as cook in a small private family; has good city reference.

347 WEST 29TH ST.—AS FIRST CLASS COOK; NO objection to either city or country; best city references. Call for two days.

365 6TH AV., SECOND BELL.—AS FIRST CLASS cook in a private family; will assist in washing; no objection to a short distance in the country; five years' excellent reference.

404 WEST 31ST ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS COOK, washer and ironer in a small private family. Can be seen for two days.

507 WEST 15TH ST.—A TRUSTWORTHY YOUNG woman as good cook; excellent washer and ironer; best reference. Call for two days.

512 WEST 27TH ST.—A NEAT, OBLIGING YOUNG woman as cook and to assist at washing and ironing, in a small family; ten years' reference from last place.

894 2D AV., SECOND FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A respectable girl as a good plain cook, washer and ironer; best city reference. Call on Mrs. WALSH.

Chambermaids, &c.

9 WATTS ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS CHAMBERMAID or to take care of children. Address.

32 HORATIO ST., IN THE STORE.—A YOUNG GIRL as chambermaid and to assist with the washing and ironing; good reference.

45 PERRY ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL AS chambermaid and waitress; willing and obliging; best city reference. Call for two days.

68 PARK AV.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL TO DO CHAMberwork and waiting, or can do chamberwork and sew washing and ironing. Can be seen at her present employer's for two days.

86 6TH AV., BETWEEN WAVERLEY PLACE AND 8th st.—A respectable young girl as chambermaid and to assist with washing and ironing. Can be seen for two days.

104 WEST 4TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE aged widow to do chamberwork and assist in the washing and ironing. Call for three days, from 10 to 4.

134 WEST 38TH ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL AS chambermaid and waitress; best reference.

147 EAST 28TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl as chambermaid and waitress; good city references; no objection to a private boarding house. Can be seen at present place.

150 WEST 38TH ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL AS chambermaid, waitress or seamstress; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; has the best of reference. Call for three days.

160 9TH AV., NEAR 20TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE young American girl as chambermaid and to do plain sewing or take care of growing children. Apply at last employer's.

161 WEST 31ST ST.—A PROTESTANT GIRL AS chambermaid or to do general housework in a private family; good reference from present employer.

203 EAST 10TH ST., NEARSD AV.—A PROTESTANT German girl as chambermaid and waitress; would prefer sitting care of an infant; no washing.

205 WEST 36TH ST., IN THE REAR.—A RESPECTable young girl as chambermaid and waitress; has the best city reference from her last place.

205 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 7TH AV.—A NEAT, active young woman as first class chambermaid and laundress; understands fitting; best city reference.

209 5TH ST., NEAR BOWERY, TOP FLOOR.—A respectable young girl to do chamberwork and as waitress; no objection to assist with washing; good city reference.

211 WEST 3RD ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL to do chamberwork and assist in the washing, or to do the same; has good reference.

227 WEST 30TH ST.—AS CHAMBERMAID AND TO do plain sewing in a private family, or a young girl can give unexceptionable references. Apply at present employer's.

228 EAST 27TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS CHAMBERmaid and waitress or to do general housework; is willing and obliging; good city reference.

231 EAST 45TH ST., SECOND FLOOR.—A RESPECTable young girl, late a lady's maid, as chambermaid and make herself generally useful or would do light housework in a private family. Apply for two days.

241 WEST 29TH ST.—AS CHAMBERMAID AND laundress; can come well recommended.

241 WEST 3RD ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS chambermaid and waitress. Can be seen at her present place for two days.

241 WEST 27TH ST.—AS CHAMBERMAID AND TO do the same for a lady; is a good plain sewer; is willing to assist in the washing; good city reference.

246 WEST 36TH ST., BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH AVS., THIRD.—A respectable young woman as chambermaid and waitress or as chambermaid and to do the washing and ironing; best city references.

253 7TH AV., THIRD FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—AS chambermaid and waitress; no objection to a boarding house.

292 1ST AV.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL TO take care of children in a private family; is willing to assist in chamberwork; city reference.

314 WEST 36TH ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN AS chambermaid and seamstress, or as nurse and seamstress; best city reference.

322 EAST 31ST ST., FIRST FLOOR, FRONT.—AS chambermaid and seamstress, or as nurse and seamstress; best city reference.

325 EAST 3RD ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS first class chambermaid and waitress; good city reference.

310 WEST 34TH ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A YOUNG girl as chambermaid or to do all duties and do plain sewing; good city reference. Call for two days.

313 WEST 30ST ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN AS chambermaid and waitress. Can be seen at her present employer's.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Chambermaids, &c.

344 EAST 23D ST.—AS CHAMBERMAID AND TO DO fine washing by a competent person, who can give five years' reference from last place.

353 WEST 42D ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTable English Protestant girl as chambermaid and waitress; best city reference. Call for two days.

415 EAST 16TH ST., BETWEEN 1ST AV. AND AV. A.—A young girl as chambermaid and waitress; city or country; best city reference.

547 7TH AV., BETWEEN 37TH AND 40TH STS., TOP floor, front.—A respectable competent girl, lately from England, as chambermaid and waitress, or as nurse. Call for two days.

1,419 BROADWAY, BETWEEN 42D AND 43TH STS.—A respectable Protestant young girl as chambermaid and waitress; good city reference from her last place. Can be seen for two days.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

14 EAST 23RD ST.—A COMPETENT DRESSMAKER and seamstress to go out by the day, week or month; an excellent operator; city references.

35 WEST 44TH ST., SECOND FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A respectable young girl to go out by the day or week; understands cutting and fitting ladies' and misses' dresses; can furnish her own sewing machine.

36 8TH AV., EMPLOYERS.—A FIRST CLASS dressmaker by the day; quick cutter, stylish trimmer; all the latest patterns; dresses remodelled equal to new.

57 WEST 18TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKER wishes to go out by the day or week; understands French style of trimming thoroughly.

105 1ST ST., BETWEEN 1ST AV. AND AV. A.—A good German dressmaker desires to work for a few more customers by the day or week.

158 6TH AV.—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT dressmaker to go out, understands cutting and trimming garments of every description for ladies and children's wear. Can be seen at present employer's.

215 WEST 28TH ST.—TO GO OUT BY THE DAY OR week by an excellent seamstress; understands dressmaking and trimming perfectly.

275 WEST 23D ST., WEST SIDE ADVERTISING Agency.—A first class dressmaker wishes work by the day, week or month; can do cutting and trimming in every style and is a very good seamstress at all kinds of sewing. Address A. B.

317 EAST 25TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL to go out by the day or week in private families; is a first class operator on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; also is a good dressmaker. Call for two days.

337 EAST 13TH ST., FIRST FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—Fashionable dress and cloak making; Winter and Spring Suits $6, upwards; Wrappers, $3 & $3 50; also, children's and misses' garments made to order; Patterns and Fashion Plates, cutting and basting. Terms cash. Call or address.

326 CHERRY ST.—A YOUNG GIRL WHO HAS spent three years at dressmaking. Call on or address Miss DONOVAN.

388 6TH AV.—A COMPETENT SEAMSTRESS; CAN cut and fit ladies' and children's dresses and all kinds of family sewing; best city reference.

469 5TH AV., SECOND FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A young girl as competent seamstress in a private family.

490 6TH AV., BETWEEN 28TH AND 30TH STS.—A competent dressmaker wishes a few more engagements by the day; is an operator.

585 3D AV., NEAR 18TH ST.—AS DRESSMAKER, BY the day, cutting, fitting and trimming tastefully, in all the latest styles; references given.

1,078 1ST AV., NEAR 60TH ST., FOURTH FLOOR, back.—A first class operator wants sewing at home or would go out by the day; thoroughly understands fine family sewing; can give the best city reference. Call or address.

General Housework, &c.

13 WATTS ST.—A YOUNG GIRL LATELY LANDED, to do general housework. Call for two days.

42 LEROY ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN to do general housework in a private family; good city reference.

55 EAST 41ST ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN TO DO GENeral housework in a small family; has first class reference. Call or address for two days.

67 2D AV., CORNER 11TH ST., SECOND FLOOR.—TO do general housework in a small private family; city reference.

132 CHRYSTIE ST., IN THE FRONT.—A RESPECTable woman to do general housework, in either the city or country; good reference.

159 WEST 27TH ST.—A SMART YOUNG GIRL, lately landed, not afraid of work, to do housework; willing to learn. Call for two days.

206 EAST 23D ST., THIRD FLOOR.—A RESPECTable girl to do general housework. Call or address.

207 8TH ST.—AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT GIRL to do general housework in a small family.

208 EAST 25TH ST.—A YOUNG ENGLISH GIRL TO do general housework in a private family; has reference.

210 WEST 19TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL TO do housework; willing and obliging.

221 EAST 20TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG girl, lately landed, to do general housework or take care of children; willing and obliging.

253 WEST 27TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO do general housework in a private family. City reference. Call for two days.

279 1ST AV., CORNER 18TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL TO do general housework in a private family.

298 10TH AV.—A YOUNG PROTESTANT GIRL, TO do light housework; is not afraid of work.

324 EAST 21ST ST.—A YOUNG GIRL TO DO HOUSEwork in a small private family; good city reference.

333 WEST 35TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL TO do housework in a small family; city reference. Can be seen for two days.

348 EAST 73TH ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A respectable girl to do housework; has good city reference from her last place.

375 8TH ST., BETWEEN AVS. C AND D, PRESent employer's.—A respectable married woman to do general housework in a small family; wages not so much an object as a home, with the privilege of having a child, three years old, with her. Call on third floor, back room.

444 WEST 31ST ST., ROOM 12.—A RESPECTABLE woman to do general housework; has a baby one year old; wages no object, only a good home.

536 2D AV.—A SCOTCH GIRL TO DO HOUSEWORK in a small family.

540 WEST 27TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE PROtestant woman to do general housework; best city reference.

712 8TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG WOMAN to do general housework; is a good washer and ironer and cook; city reference.

774 10TH AV., BETWEEN 52D AND 53D STS.—A respectable young woman to do housework in a small plain family; willing and obliging; best city reference.

987 1ST AV., SECOND FLOOR, FRONT ROOM.—A young girl to do the housework of a small family; is neat, willing and obliging; best city reference.

Housekeepers, &c.

54 BEACH ST., NEAR HUDSON.—AS HOUSEKEEPER by an expert, reliable, trustworthy, intelligent American, of middle age, Protestant; is very neat and systematic and not afraid of any responsibility, having great experience; understands marketing thoroughly; is not above assisting at work; best reference given. Address HOUSEKEEPER.

71 CARMINE ST.—A MIDDLE AGED AMERICAN lady as housekeeper or to take care of an invalid; no objections to go to the country; is capable and not afraid to take hold of any kind of work; references exchanged.

99 CHRISTOPHER ST.—A NEW ENGLAND LADY as housekeeper; understands her business thoroughly; references given.

136 3D AV.—AN AMERICAN WIDOW LADY AS housekeeper in a gentleman's family; can give good satisfaction. Mrs. BISHOP.

228 WEST 37TH ST., NEAR 7TH AV.—AS HOUSEkeeper in a hotel or gentleman's family; understands plain family cooking, also the care of children; best city reference. Call for one week, from 10 to 4 P. M.

335 3D AV., NEAR 34TH ST.—A YOUNG American middle aged widow, experienced in cooking, a good home more an object than high wages; can furnish two years' reference. Can be seen from 10 to 5 o'clock.

455 WEST 31ST ST.—AN AMERICAN LADY AS housekeeper, governess or companion; best references. Call all week.

489 ADELPHI ST., BROOKLYN.—A LADY WOULD like a position as housekeeper; where she would be as one of the family and assist with the work. Call on or address Mrs. A.

697 BROADWAY, ROOM 34.—A FOREIGN LADY OF refinement, educated in Paris, as housekeeper or would give lessons in French or English, city or out of state.

A YOUNG LADY, A STRANGER IN THE CITY, wishes a situation as housekeeper or to do sewing or to take charge of children; best references. Address Miss SMITH, 156 Wooster st., corner of Prince.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A LADY, AS HOUSEKEEPER in a gentleman's family; is capable of taking charge of a house and has no objection to children; can speak French fluently; would be willing to take charge of a bachelor's home; best references given. Address C. H., box 230 Herald office.

WANTED—A POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER, BY A young widow lady; unexceptionable references given. Address A. B., Herald office.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, A SITUAtion as housekeeper or to take care of an invalid; no objection to go to the country; is capable and not afraid of work; references exchanged.

Laundresses, &c.

21 WEST 3RD ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS FIRST class laundress; understands her business thoroughly; can do plain sewing; references; washed at Wheeler & Wilson's; can have. Can be seen for two days at her employer's.

86 KING ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTABLE woman; has been accustomed to do the work in a family of gentlemen; understands cooking; is a good washer and ironer; is willing to do any other work in the best manner. Mrs. CONROY.

117 WEST 37TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS LAUNDRESS; would take washing and ironing at her home; is fond of family washing; prefers good family; best references.

141 WEST 18TH ST.—A YOUNG WOMAN AS LAUNdress in a private family; best city reference from last place. Call for two days.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Laundresses, &c.

149 WEST 37TH ST.—A FIRST CLASS LAUNDRESS desires gentlemen's and families' washing at her house; understands fitting, &c.; terms moderate; unexceptionable reference.

159 WEST 23D ST., BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH AVS.—As first class laundress; understands fitting and doing up linens and fineries in superior style. Unexceptionable city reference.

161 WEST 23D ST.—A YOUNG GIRL AS LAUNDress or would assist with chamberwork or would do general housework for a small family; no objection to the country.

184 LUDLOW ST., IN THE REAR.—A FIRST CLASS laundress wishes the washing and ironing of gentlemen and families to do in the house; best city reference.

216 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM NO. 7.—A RESPECTable woman as laundress, to do washing at her own house, or would go out by the day to wash or clean house; understands fitting; city reference.

239 WEST 27TH ST., REAR BASEMENT.—A YOUNG colored woman would like a few days' work, either cleaning, washing or ironing.

240 EAST 30TH ST., BETWEEN 2D AND 3D AVS.—A competent person wishes some family or gentlemen's washing; fitting and fine laces nicely done; will go out by the day. Inquire in the candy store.

299 1ST AV., BETWEEN 17TH AND 18TH STS., room 16.—A respectable widow woman wishes to do some washing; is an excellent washer and ironer; or would go out by the day to work; best city references. Can be seen for one week.

333 WEST 26TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS first class laundress; understands fitting and ruffling; has best city references. Can be seen for two days.

400 WEST 41ST ST., BETWEEN 8TH AND 10TH AVS.—A woman to take in some washing or go out by the day.

893 3D AV., NEAR 25TH ST.—AN EXPERIENCED laundress wishes a gentleman's or family washing.

Nurses, &c.

13 7TH AV., BETWEEN 11TH AND 12TH STS.—A young girl to take care of children or assist in upstairs work or as waitress, good city reference.

117 WEST 38TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL to take care of children and sew, or to do chamberwork and sewing; city or country; excellent reference.

145 EAST 28TH ST., BETWEEN 3D AND LEXINGTON AVS.—A respectable young woman as nurse to growing children; would assist with chamberwork; excellent reference.

161 WEST 46TH ST., BETWEEN 6TH AND 7TH AVS., rear building.—A respectable young girl, 17 years old, to mind children or do chamberwork and plain sewing; is willing and obliging.

180 2D AV., BETWEEN 11TH AND 12TH STS.—A GERman girl who speaks English as nurse to a growing child, or as chambermaid and waitress. Call Wednesday and Thursday at present employer's.

209 EAST 25TH ST.—AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG woman to take charge of a baby from birth or growing children; is a good seamstress, city or country; good reference.

217 EAST 25TH ST., FIRST FLOOR, BACK ROOM.—A respectable young woman as nurse and to do sewing or assist in chamberwork; best city reference.

222 EAST 17TH ST.—AS COMPETENT NURSE; SHE can take care of an infant from its birth or an invalid; best reference. Address Mrs. MAGIE.

234 EAST 25TH ST.—A YOUNG MARRIED WOMAN as nurse; can take the entire charge of a baby from its birth, or would take care of growing children; good city reference.

259 WEST 35TH ST.—A LADIES' MONTHLY NURSE wants engagements; has first class city references. Inquire top floor.

304 EAST 33D ST., BETWEEN 1ST AND 2D AVS.—A respectable young girl as nurse and to do plain sewing or would do light chamberwork; is willing and obliging.

329 EAST 13TH ST., THIRD FLOOR.—A RESPECTable Protestant to take care of children and do light housework.

340 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 8TH AV.—A COMPEtent child's nurse; willing and obliging and would do chamberwork if required; good reference.

341 EAST 10TH ST., SECOND FLOOR.—A GERMAN girl aged 16, as nurse and to do plain sewing, for would do chamberwork. E. SMIDT.

351 3D AV.—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN AS FIRST class monthly or sick nurse; would take engagements or present employment; city reference.

410 41ST ST., NEAR 9TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE young married woman as wet nurse. Can be seen for two days.

414 EAST 17TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE MARRIED woman as wet nurse in some family; good reference.

441 9TH AV.—A RESPECTABLE MARRIED WOMAN as wet nurse; good reference. Call for three days.

521 1ST AV., THIRD FLOOR, IN THE FRONT, ROOM No. 6.—As wet nurse; is healthy and can be well recommended; has lost her baby four weeks old. Call for Mrs. SHANNON.

577 2D AV., BETWEEN 31ST AND 32D STS.—A PROtestant girl as nurse and to do light chamberwork; can take care of a baby from its infancy; has good city reference.

694 3D AV., IN THE REAR, SECOND FLOOR.—A respectable young girl as nurse and to do light chamberwork; best city reference.

749 3D AV., BETWEEN 46TH AND 47TH STS., ring the third bell.—A young American girl, to take care of a child or do the waiting in a small family.

Waitresses, &c.

7TH AV. AND 35TH ST., NORTHEAST CORNER.—A respectable girl as waitress and chambermaid; good reference. Call for two days.

103 WEST 44TH ST.—AS EXPERIENCED WAITress; can get up salads, take care of silver, &c.; best city references.

205 WEST 27TH ST., NEAR 8TH AV.—A COMPEtent young woman as first class waitress, or chambermaid and to assist in washing; four years' city reference.

224 WEST 27TH ST., ROOM 12.—A PERFECTLY competent young woman as first class waitress or with chamberwork; city reference.

227 WEST 27TH ST.—A YOUNG GIRL, WHO UNderstands her business perfectly, as waitress in a small private family. Can be seen at former employer's.

55 WEST 12TH ST.—A YOUNG LADY OF 22, EDUcated in Europe, who has travelled a great deal, both abroad and through the states, as governess, or companion and amanuensis to a lady; she is an expert needlewoman. Call or address GOVERNESS.

155 6TH AV.—A LADY GIVES LESSONS IN ENGlish branches, drawing, painting, wax flowers, photo-graphs painting, day or evening. Call on or address TEACHER.

212 8TH AV.—A COMPETENT PERSON AS LADY'S maid and seamstress; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; has been eight years in last place.

233 EAST 112TH ST., HARLEM.—A LADY WISHES to give readings or will instruct children or a lady of neglected education; terms $5 per week for 2½ hours duty. Call on or address AUTHORESS.

275 WEST 23D ST., WEST SIDE ADVERTISING Agency.—A young lady teacher would like one or two pupils for the afternoon or evening, or would read to an invalid. Address A. J.

456 WEST 14TH ST., FIRST FLOOR.—A RESPECTable girl (Catholic) would make herself generally useful in a respectable family.

503 8TH AV.—A YOUNG LADY OF SOME EXPErience in a fancy goods store; good reference from last employer. Can be seen at Mrs. Kelock's, or address G. J. M.

547 6TH AV.—A YOUNG GIRL AS LADY'S MAID; is a good hairdresser; has city reference from last employer.

709 7TH AV., NEAR 45TH ST.—A RESPECTABLE girl, not long in the country, wishes a situation in a private family, and would make herself generally useful; is willing and obliging.

A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN WISHES TO TAKE charge of a gentleman's two rooms; best city reference. Address R. B., box 141 Herald office.

A YOUNG LADY, WHO WRITES A RAPID AND regular hand, desires a situation as copyist; would like a permanent situation. Address, for one week, COPYIST, box 136 Herald office.

A YOUNG LADY, POSSESSING A THOROUGH knowledge of the French language, of refined tastes and habits, wishes to meet with a lady or family of means, about to travel, to act as companion; unexceptionable references. Address N. G., box 118 Herald office.

A YOUNG GERMAN LADY OF EDUCATION either as lady's companion or as governess; instruct children; is very efficient on the piano. Address M. N., Herald office.

A LADY, LIVING IN THE COUNTRY, WOULD LIKE copying. Address MARY WHITE, Elizabeth, N. J.

A YOUNG LADY WISHES SOME KIND OF WORK that she can do at home; is a good sewer on Singer & Gibbs' sewing machine; highest references demanded if required. Address Miss L., box 118 Herald office.

A FIRST CLASS MILLINER, TO TRIM ROUND HATS on Thursday, can find a good situation and prove to the highest wages by applying at 50 5th av., Mme. LUPMAN'S store. None but first class hands need apply.

A POSITION AS COMPANION TO A LADY—BY A lady of education; would instruct young girl from English, French and music; would act as housekeeper; a good home desired. Address Miss ARTHUR, box 210 Herald office.

A LADY, 27 NINE YEARS EXPERIENCE IN TEACHing, wishes a few hours daily in a family; has English, French, music, drawing; prefers Brooklyn; has all the best of references; is capable of taking charge of a young lady's education. Address CHRONOGRAPH, Herald office.

TO PHOTOGRAPHERS.—AN ENGLISH WIDOW LADY desires employment as a first class photographer; has been used to assisting in all the branches; understands retouching, &c.; is a good operator; good references. Address E. T., 11 Bradley's news store, Atlantic street, Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, A SITUATION AS nurse among a Friendly; she prefers it has references and first class recommendations. Address IRENE, box 187 Herald office.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

AT THE LEXINGTON AV. TURKISH BATHS, CORNER 27th st.—An hour's bathing, lunch, tea, coffee, cake, fruit, refreshments, cigars, newspapers, &c., all for 50c. Ladies' entrance, 27th st. Most the only one remaining.

A FIRST CLASS SALESWOMAN WANTED—TO TAKE charge of a wholesale and retail cloak department. Apply to WOOD, HINGSON & SMITH, 537 Broadway.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

AN EXPERIENCED ENGLISH, FRENCH OR GERMAN nurse for young children; none other need apply. 25 East 29th st.

A NEAT, COMPETENT CHAMBERMAID AND WAITress in a private boarding house. Apply at 37 West 25th st.

A YOUNG GIRL WANTED—TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork, cook, wash and iron for a small family. Apply at 418 East 53d st., near 1st av.

FLAX SPINNERS.—THREE WANTED ON DRY frames. Apply to J. GODFREY, 29 Spruce st., New York.

LADIES WANTING TO LEARN DRESSMAKING; also sewing on the machine in a very short time; price moderate. 32 Rivington st.

LADIES.—WEED AND WHEELER & WILSON SEWING Machines sold on instalments, payable in work at home. NEW YORK MACHINE STITCHING COMPANY, 42 Bleecker st.

MILLINERS WANTED.—FIRST CLASS MILLINERS and trimmers wanted immediately; high wages. At KURZMAN'S, 31 Division st.

MILLINER WANTED—A FIRST CLASS TRIMMER. None but those accustomed to first class work need apply to M. T. HIGGINS, 123 6th av.

NECK TIES.—WANTED, FIRST CLASS FOLDED TIE Makers. Apply on Thursday at 78 Franklin st.

SEAMSTRESS AND CHAMBERMAID—158 WEST 37TH st.—A good seamstress; willing to assist in chamberwork; good reference. Apply to MARY ANN CURTIS.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS WAITRESS. INQUIRE TODay, from 8 until 3, at 149 East 23th st.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS GERMAN WAITRESS. Apply between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at 20 East 53th st.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CROCKERY AND lamp clerk, at 327 6th av.

WANTED—A COMPETENT DRESSMAKER; ALSO AN apprentice, at 476 6th av., corner of 29th st.

WANTED—FOUR GIRLS TO PICK OVER BEANS. Apply at 209 Washington st., N. Y.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK IN A PRIVATE FAMILY; city reference required. Call, from 10 till 12, at 562 Madison av.

WANTED—A MIDDLE AGED LADY AS HOUSEkeeper for a widower with two children. Address H. HOMLAN, Post office, Williamsburg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOW HANDS; NO WORK given out. Apply to FISK, CLARK & FLAGG, 630 Broadway, in the rear.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS COOK, IN A PRIVATE family. Apply at 155 West 14th st., between 9 and 11 o'clock.

WANTED—A YOUNG PROTESTANT WOMAN TO take care of growing children and do plain sewing. 107 West 13th st.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK; must be a good plain cook and good washer and ironer. Inquire at 124 East 23th st.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT GIRL; SHE MUST BE a neat sewer and do light chamberwork. Address box 1,470 Post office.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS COOK, AT NO. 6 EAST 38th st.; small private family. Apply from 10 to 12 with city reference.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS WAITRESS AND TO DO chamberwork; English or Scotch preferred. Apply at 107 East 33d st., between 10 and 12 o'clock.

WANTED—A GIRL TO COOK, WASH AND IRON; must have good city reference. Apply immediately at 333 West 34th st., between 8th and 9th avs.

WANTED—GIRLS, IN A HAIR STORE, AT 361 Canal st., and also first class ladies' hairdressers, at 832 Broadway.

WANTED—A NURSERY GOVERNESS; A PERSON OF experience, education and refinement, willing to be useful, to go into the country. Apply at 229 East 31st st.

WANTED—A GOOD CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS; to assist with the washing and ironing; city reference required. Call at 234 West 32d st.

WANTED—TWO RESPECTABLE GERMAN GIRLS; one as chambermaid and the other to do kitchen work. Apply at 23 Forty-eighth st., between Second and Third ave.

WANTED—A YOUNG PROTESTANT GIRL (GERMAN preferred) to take charge of children and do plain sewing, at 238 West 45th st.

WANTED—A LADY OF GOOD ADDRESS TO WORK Howe's machine; a good situation for a competent person. DARROW & CO., 1,237 Broadway.

WANTED—A NURSE AND CHAMBERMAID; MUST be experienced in the care of an infant and have good references. Apply at 235 West 21st st., between 10 and 2.

WANTED—A GIRL, WHO CAN BRING GOOD REFErence, as nurse and seamstress. Apply at 260 West 14th st., from 10 to 4.

WANTED—A SEAMSTRESS WHO CAN CUT, FIT AND operate on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; must be willing to attend to growing children; city reference required. Apply for two days at 159 West 44th st.

WANTED—100 GOOD HANDS, TO SEW AND TRIM fancy hats on frames; highest prices and best of work. 557, 559 and 561 Broadway. Entrance to work room 64 Mercer st.

WANTED—AT THE LEXINGTON AV. TURKISH Baths, corner 27th st., two first class American or English girls; one for up stairs work, one for laundry; wages $10 to $20; references required.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT WOMAN, TO GO A short distance in the country to take charge of a gentleman's place; must understand the care of milk and butter making. Apply at No. 9 East 45th st., near 5th av.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK, WHO UNDERSTANDS milk and butter, who can come well recommended; the man milks and takes care of the cow. Call at west side 19th av., between 50th and 51th sts.

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL TO DO GENERAL work and to cook, wash and iron in a small family in a village one hour from the city. Address C. WOOD, box 585 Post office.

WANTED—AT 103 EAST 40TH ST., A LAUNDRESS who understands fitting and all kinds of fine ironing; must have city references and be able to come at once. Apply for two days between 10 and 12 o'clock.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—FIRST CLASS MILLINERS and apprentices; also best competent hands need apply. H. M. KAMINSKI, 474 Broadway, between Grand and Broome sts.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED FOREWOMAN, TO take charge of the wrapping and packing department of a toilet soap factory. Apply to M. & S. STEINBERGER, rear of 38 and 33 Thompson st., between Grand and Broome sts.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT CHAMBERMAID AND waitress to go to Hartford, Conn., with a private family; city reference required. Inquire for C. D., at Mrs. Wesley's, 111 8th av., this Wednesday, February 22, from 10 to 12 A. M.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

7 EAST 47TH ST.—A COMPETENT FRENCHMAN WHO speaks several languages, as traveling servant to a family; good reference. Address J. H.

21 EAST 16TH ST., IN THE DRUG STORE.—A MIDdle aged man as porter in a private family; perfectly understands his business; first class reference.

41 UNIVERSITY PLACE, TAILOR STORE.—A MIDdle aged, competent, reliable person as permanent private waiter; first class reference. Address WAITER.

$125.—THE ADVERTISER, A YOUNG MAN, WILL give this amount for a permanent situation paying $25 per week, as salesman or collector; can furnish any amount of security. Address J. L. S., 57 Harrison st., Newark, N. J.

126 WEST 30TH ST., BETWEEN BROADWAY AND 7th av.—A colored young man as waiter in a private family. Can furnish first class reference. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

AN ENGLISHMAN, LATELY ARRIVED, WISHES A waiter's place or any place where he can make himself useful; good reference. Address H. E. M., Herald office.

A YOUNG MAN, AGED 22, AS WAITER OR IN ANY light employ; wages no object. Address J. J. F., box 155 Herald office.

A YOUNG MAN WANTS A SITUATION AS BARtender or grocery clerk; understands his business; could loan $300; or would go to partnership with a young man. Address or call on M. G., 211 East 24th st., second floor, front.

WANTED—BY AN ACTIVE, INTELLIGENT YOUNG man, a situation as porter in a store or mercantile house. Address No. 5 East 23d st.

WANTED A SITUATION AS PORTER, COLLECTOR or messenger; can give the best National and municipal references and security for honesty. Address A. box 119 Herald office.

CLERKS AND SALESMEN.

A YOUNG GENTLEMAN OF RESPECTABILITY DEsires a position in some branch of business. Address A. B., box 2,341 Post office, Philadelphia.

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A GERMAN, THOROUGHLY CONVERSANT WITH the French and English languages, who was employed as bookkeeper and correspondent in Europe for a house in London, is desirous of a similar situation; can furnish ample references and security and sights. Address G. H., care of Charles Neumann, 436 Broadway, New York.

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JEWELER.—I WANT A SITUATION AS SALESMAN, by a first class moderate seller, in a good j

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

East Side.

A.—MADISON AND EIGHTH AVENUE LOTS, NEAR Sixty-second street, for sale low; also Fifth avenue Lots, near Fifty-third street.
V. K. STEVENSON & SON, 11 Pine street.

A CHARMING THREE STORY STONE HOUSE, OF modern build and arrangement, for sale in Thirtieth street, near Madison avenue; dining room on first floor. For further particulars apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

A NICE THREE STORY HIGH STOOP HOUSE, 21x60, lot half the block, in perfect order, handsomely frescoed; will sell cheap. Inquire on the premises, 216 East Eighteenth street, near Second avenue.

AT A GREAT BARGAIN—THE TWO THREE STORY high stoop brick Houses adjoining on north side of Seventy-third street, between Third and Lexington avenues; one of these houses forming the northeast corner of Lexington avenue (which is now open to Seventy-first street and will be continued this spring), must become one of the choicest locations on the Island; but a few minutes' walk from the Central Park and in an unexceptionable neighborhood. These houses must be seen to be appreciated, and earnest purchasers only can see the owner, CHAS. SCHLESINGER, during business hours, at Nos. 92 and 94 Liberty street, up stairs, or mornings and evenings and on Saturdays and Sundays at No. 143 East Seventy-third street, in the vicinity of the houses.

A VERY GOOD HOUSE, 22x54, 16 ROOMS, LOCATED on Seventeenth street, near Stuyvesant square, for sale. Price $22,000.
HASTINGS, COLVIN & SCOTT, No. 4 Pine street.

A VERY DESIRABLE FULL SIZE THREE STORY brown stone House and Lot for sale on the west side of Lexington avenue, near Thirty-eighth street, the highest ground on Murray Hill. Early possession given. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

A.—FOR SALE, A FIRST CLASS HIGH STOOP HOUSE, with all modern improvements, 25x55, lot 100; 27 East Twelfth street, between Fifth avenue and University place. Also rear Lot, fronting on Thirteenth street, with House and Stable, 27½ front by 100; sold separately or together. Apply to owner, M. CURLEY, 111 East Thirteenth street.

A VERY DESIRABLE HOUSE, ON THIRTY-FIRST street, near Madison avenue, for sale; three story, 22x56x100; brown stone; in good order; price, with carpets and gas fixtures, $35,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

CHEAP AND DESIRABLY FURNISHED DWELLING—East Sixteenth street, west of Third avenue; $33,000. East side Houses in variety for sale.
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DWELLING ON THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, WEST OF Third avenue, 13x64; four stories; high stoop; brown stone; price $18,000.
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EAST FORTY-SECOND STREET, NEAR FIFTH AVENUE—dwelling 22x59; hard wood finish; elegantly furnished; billiard table; very desirable; $70,000.
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FOR SALE.—LEONARD J. CARPENTER, NO. 25 Third avenue, Bible House, offers the following desirable Houses:—
Lexington av. cor., 4 s. h. s. b. s. Mansard, 21x50x93...$34,000
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Lexington av., bet. 60th and 61st sts., 3 s. h. s. b. s., 20x40x100... 22,500
35th st., bet. Lexington and 4th avs., 3 s. h. s. b. s., 18.9x100-5... 21,000
62d st., bet. Madison and 4th avs., 3 s. E. b. brick, 16x50x100-5... 15,500
Lexington av. cor., 4 s. h. s. b. s., bay windows, 20.8x50x75... 42,000
52d st., bet. 5th and 6th avs., 4 s. h. s. b. s... 40,000
62d st., bet. 1st and 2d avs., 3 s. h. s. b. s... 11,000
21st st., bet. 7th and 8th avs., 3 s. b. brick, 25x92x100... 12,500
47th st., bet. 9th and 10th avs., 4 s. h. s. b. s., 19x48x100... 22,000
43d st., bet. 1st and 2d avs., 3 s. h. s. brick, 16.8x45x100-5... 10,500
26th st., bet. 1st and 2d avs., 4 s. h. s. brick, 20x50x100... 18,000
32d st., near 5th av., 4 s. E. b. b. s., 16.8x60x98... 35,000
Also Business, Tenement Property or vacant Lots in various locations.

FOR SALE—THE THREE STORY HIGH STOOP BRICK House and Lot No. 145 Nineteenth street, between Irving place and Third avenue; modern improvements and in good order. Apply on the premises.

FOR SALE—IN ELEVENTH STREET, NEAR FIFTH avenue, a three story House, admirably and attractively arranged for convenience and comfort and in perfect order throughout; possession given; price and terms reasonable. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY IN HARLEM; well rented; terms easy. Apply to CRASTO, 116th street and Third avenue.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, WITH immediate possession, the four story French roof brown stone House and Lot 410 Lexington avenue, in good order and handsomely furnished; terms to suit. Apply on the premises.

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE CHEAPEST MODERN House and Carriage House in Mount Vernon; must be sold; easy terms; owner going to Europe. WILLIAM H. BARD, corner Fifth avenue and Third street, Mount Vernon.

FOR SALE—ONE BROWN STONE FRONT HOUSE, Seventy-ninth street, near Lexington avenue; one brown stone front and one light stone front, Seventy-first street, near Boulevard. Apply to J. W. OGDEN, 361 Eleventh avenue, corner Twenty-ninth street.

FOR SALE—A CHOICE LOT, ON FIFTY-THIRD street, running through to Fifty-second street between Fifth and Madison avenues, WITH STABLE PRIVILEGE for one or both. Apply to JOHN H. MORRIS, No. 42 West Fifty-first street.

FOR SALE—A THREE STORY HIGH STOOP BROWN stone House, on north side of Forty-third street, 25 feet east of Broadway. Apply to J. ROMAINE BROWN, 1,250 Broadway.

FOR SALE—A [illegible] MOST DESIRABLE MODERATE SIZED wide front House, on [illegible] Hill, very convenient; arranged for a small, genteel family; location between Fifth and Madison avenues.
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FOR SALE—EASY TERMS, TWO HOUSES, IN THIRTY-fourth street, near Third avenue; three Houses, Fortieth street, near Eighth avenue; new, latest improvements.
LEWIS BEACH, No. 5 Pine street.

FOR SALE CHEAP—ELEGANT, MEDIUM SIZED four story House; neighborhood excellent; Fifty-fourth street, near Park avenue. To let, full sized first class House, in Fifty-ninth street; only $2,000. No agents.
EDWARD GREEY, 33 Vesey street.

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP—A SUPERIOR BROWN stone House, 4 story, high stoop, elegant order, near Madison avenue, on Murray Hill; exchange in part for House in South Brooklyn.
W. P. SEYMOUR, 171 Broadway.

MURRAY HILL—FOR SALE, ON LEXINGTON AVENUE, a most complete full size House, in perfect order; will be sold without or with very elegant Furniture.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

PARK AVENUE.—FOR SALE, ON THE WEST SIDE OF Park (Fourth) avenue, near Thirty-seventh street, a very superior and attractive four story stone House, with dining room and butler's pantry on first floor. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

PARK AVENUE RESIDENCE FOR SALE (CONVENIENT to "Grand Union Depot")—Situated between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, in the centre of finished block; light and ventilation perfect; house first class, brown stone front, built solid; handsomely finished in hard wood throughout, in perfect order; location the most desirable, central and elegant on New York Island. Terms to suit the times. Principals only need apply to OWNER, No. 121 East Thirty-eighth street.

RARE CHANCE TO BUILDERS.—$10,000 CASH, BALance to suit, can buy a Plot of seven full Lots, 100 feet east of Central Park, below Seventy-fourth street, very reasonable; real bargains private and tenement Houses.
LIONEL FROEHLICH, 220 Third avenue.

THE HANDSOME FOUR STORY AND BASEMENT Brown stone Dwelling 244 East Sixteenth street, between Second and Third avenues; it is elegantly finished throughout, and thoroughly replete with modern improvements. Apply at 241 East Sixteenth street (next door), or at coal yard foot Thirty-fourth street, East river. Terms easy.
J. H. LYON.

3D AVENUE PROPERTY FOR SALE—BETWEEN Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, Nos. 351 and 353; two fine story brick Buildings, Stores and Basements; price $41,000; cash only required $7,000, or more if purchaser desires; remainder on bond and mortgage; rent at present for $4,200 per year. Owner, 192 Seventh avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.

17TH STREET, FACING STUYVESANT SQUARE. For sale, a full sized high stoop brown stone House, built in a first class manner, and now in good order; price $22,000. FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

32D STREET, NEAR MADISON AVENUE.—A THREE story English basement House, 18.6x60½ block, for sale; $28,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

39TH STREET, NEAR LEXINGTON AVENUE.—FOR sale, a three story high stoop brown stone House, 22.6x98.8; in good order; price $21,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

$14,500.—FOR SALE—A NEAT TWO STORY AND basement frame House, 20 Elizabeth street, near Bleecker; lot 25x70; also two full lots on 124th street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues (Bellevue place), $4,500. Inquire of JOHN CALLERY, 353 Seventh street.

West Side.

A GREAT BARGAIN.—FOR SALE, AN ENTIRE Front on Seventh avenue Boulevard, two streets above Central Park, containing eight full lots on Boulevard and four lots in rear, two in each side street. Price very low. Apply to WM. H. RAYNOR, No. 352 Pine street.

AN ELEGANT FOUR STORY, HIGH STOOP, BROWN stone Dwelling, 21 feet wide, frescoed and finished in hard woods; Thirty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; price $22,000.
L. E. STEVENSON & SON, 11 Pine street.

A.—FIRST CLASS FOUR STORY BROWN STONE front, 18 West Thirty-ninth street, near Fifth avenue, $13,000. Apply to C. C. PINCKNEY, 42 Pine street.

A.—EIGHTH AVENUE PROPERTY FOR SALE—CORner, near the Park, four story brick Store, $24,000; house rear, four story brick Stores, $14,000. Possession. Apply at 357 Eighth avenue. Office open to-day.
WILBUR & BRANIGAN.

A THREE STORY BRICK HOUSE FOR SALE—IN Ninth street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, 18x60 feet, with back stairs, &c.; price $7,000; cash, or part cash, or exchange when desired. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine street.

AN EXCELLENT HOUSE, 22x50, IN PERFECT ORDER; handsomely frescoed, near Fifth avenue, below 110th street; not hackneyed; $26,000.
HASTINGS, COLVIN & SCOTT, No. 4 Pine street.

A COST HIGH STOOP 20 FOOT BROWN STONE, BETween Fifth and Sixth avenues, below Forty-seventh street; parlors frescoed; gas fixtures, fine glasses, mantels without charge; price $24,000 per annum; possession immediate; we will sell entire Furniture at $2,000 less than cost and ship. Address MURRAY HILL, box 4,442 Post office.

A FIRST CLASS FOUR STORY AND BASEMENT brown stone front on Forty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; basement, parlor and second floors very fine hard wood finish; convenience cost $6,000; terms to suit. Also one on Seventh street, near Lexington avenue. No attention paid to agents. Address OWNER, box 178 Herald office.

A.—THE CHEAPEST LARGE FIRST CLASS BRICK Factory Property in the city, on the west side, for sale.—Five stories, 44x90, with two Lots adjoining; contains one engine, two boilers, the main shaft and all the steam heating apparatus; it is well calculated for a machinist, piano, confectionery or furniture factory, having two drying houses connected, and all in splendid condition; gas all through; must be sold; not much cash required.
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CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

West Side.

A MOST DESIRABLE ENGLISH BASEMENT HOUSE, 4 story brown stone, 20.6x60x½ block, situated in Thirty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, in complete order, for sale.
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ELEGANT RESIDENCES ADJOINING, NOS. 5 AND 7 Forty-ninth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues, four story brown stone houses, lots 50 feet. Price moderate; two-thirds mortgage. Apply at No. 9, opposite.

FORTY-SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH avenues; four story, high stoop Dwelling, 15x50; nice and desirable; $27,000.
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Houses and Lots. For particulars apply at
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40 East Fourth street, near Bowery.
4 story brown stone 55 St. Mark's place...$23,000
2 frame Houses and Lots 101st st., near 9th av... 4,750
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House and Lot 122 E. 60th st., near 3d av... 20,000
House and Lot 665 2d av... 14,000
House and Lot 78th st., near 4th av... 16,000
House and Lot W. 4th st., near Macdougal st... 20,000
House and Lot 114 East 7th st., near 4th av... 18,000
Houses and Lots 65 and 67 Main st., Brooklyn, running through to Stewart st., near Cathalina ferry... 19,000
Also others in different parts of the city.

FOR SALE—FOUR STORY HOUSE ON SEVENTH avenue, with Store; in good order.
M. FITZSIMMONS, Owner, 447 Seventh avenue.

FOR SALE—A THREE STORY HOUSE IN FIFTIETH street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, 20x50x100; Columbia College leasehold; price $20,000; $12,000 can remain. Apply to the owner, THOMAS STEVENSON, 27 Wall street.

FOR SALE—A FIRST CLASS FOUR STORY HIGH stoop brown stone House, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Fortieth and Fiftieth streets, to settle an estate; 70 per cent may remain on mortgage. Principals only address OWNER, box 2,604 Post office.

FOR SALE—IN TWELFTH STREET, NINTH WARD, A three story high basement sub-cellar House; all improvements; in first rate order.
JOHN ROSS, 58 Eighth avenue.

FOR SALE—NEAR EIGHTH AVENUE ENTRANCE TO Central Park, two story high stoop frame Cottage; all improvements. Possession. Apply at 357 Eighth avenue. Office open to-day.
WILBUR & BRANIGAN.

FOR SALE—THE THREE STORY HIGH STOOP BRICK House and Lot No. 33 Bank street; modern improvements; price $15,500. Apply to WILLIAM PHILLIPS, on the premises.

FOR SALE—ON FORTY-SECOND STREET, JUST WEST of Fifth avenue, a four story brown stone House, 20.10x60 feet; has all improvements and is in fine order; lot leasehold; price $28,000. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine st.

FOR SALE—THE THREE STORY AND BASEMENT brick House 25 Charlton street, in fine order and all improvements; lot 25x100. W. G. C. KING, 357 Hudson st.

FOR SALE—A THREE STORY BROWN STONE FRONT House, good neighborhood, in West Twenty-eighth street, near Ninth avenue; house in good order; all modern improvements. For particulars inquire of the owner, 277 Eighth avenue.

FOR SALE—DWELLING, STABLE AND LOT 25X150, in Thirty-third street, near Sixth avenue.
JOHN JUST, 1,227 Broadway, corner Thirtieth street.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, A TRINITY LEASE Store Property on Hudson street, paying 15 per cent; terms to suit. Apply to R. G. FARMER, St. John House, corner of Canal and Washington streets.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—PROPERTY ON NINETEENTH street, near Seventh avenue; lot 100x100; fact; desirable for factory purposes. Apply to JAS. MILLER, 873 Broadway.

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GREENWICH STREET PROPERTY FOR SALE—AT A bargain; lot full front, with two story and cellar building thereon; not much cash required.
JAMES PRICE, 200 Hudson street.

NEW AND HANDSOMELY FINISHED DWELLING—On Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, 20x56. Price $38,000; easy terms.
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WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH and Sixth avenues.—House 25x55; $55,000. Other desirable dwellings for sale. Apply to HASTINGS, COLVIN & SCOTT, No. 4 Pine street.

WEST FIFTY-FIRST STREET.—FOR SALE, A MOST complete English basement brown stone House, in perfect order, 20.10x65x half block; $26,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

2 FULL LOTS FOR SALE, WEST FORTY-THIRD street, near Eighth avenue; ready for building; terms easy. Apply to JOHN STEWART, corner Eighth avenue and Forty-third street.

5TH AVENUE, ABOVE 42D STREET.—A SUPERIOR brown stone 4 story high stoop, 27x52x100; price very reasonable. Others on 5th avenue, 12th to 52d street, $20,000 to $200,000.
W. P. SEYMOUR, 171 Broadway.

6TH AVENUE, ABOVE 42D STREET.—A FINELY IMproved Corner Property for sale or exchange in part. Also improved and unimproved 6th avenue Property, from 20th to 53th street.
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8TH AVENUE PROPERTY FOR SALE—CORNER, NEAR Forty-second street; full lot, four story brick Store; pays about $6,000 a year; possession. Apply at 357 Eighth avenue. Office open to-day.
WILBUR & BRANIGAN.

22D STREET, BETWEEN NINTH AND TENTH avenues (a well improved street).—For sale, a three story high stoop brick House, 21x54, with two story extension; price $18,000. FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

35TH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH AVENUES.—For sale, a three story high stoop brown stone House, 20x45x100; $26,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

39TH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH AVENUES.—For sale, a most desirable four story brown stone English basement House, 18.9x50.9.8; in good order; price $25,000. FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

43D STREET, NEAR JUNCTION OF BROADWAY and Seventh avenue.—For sale, an English basement House, four story brown stone, 1[illegible]x100; in good order; $19,000.
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45TH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH AVENUES.—A medium sized House, containing all modern improvements, for sale; $24,000.
FRANK G. & DAVISON BROWN, 100 Broadway.

47TH ST., BETWEEN 5TH AND 6TH AVS.—FOR SALE very cheap, with or without Furniture, a fine brown stone House, 4 story high stoop, 22x50x100, frescoed and complete order. W. P. SEYMOUR, 171 Broadway.

51ST STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH AVENUES.—For sale, a most superior House, finished throughout in hard wood; plumbing in best order; size 21.2x50x100.5; 4 story; $45,000, with Carpets and Gas Fixtures.
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Miscellaneous.

BARGAINS IN HOUSES AND LOTS IN NEW YORK city.—Seven brown stone Houses in Forty-fifth street; two in Forty-sixth; three in Forty-seventh; two in Forty-eighth; three in Thirty-ninth; four in Fifty-fifth; one in Fifty-sixth; three in Park avenue; four in Madison avenue; six in Eighty-fourth; two in Sixty-second; two in Forty-ninth; five in Sixty-fifth; ten in Sixty-ninth; eight in Seventieth; nine in Seventy-ninth; four in Eighty-seventh; three in Eighty-fifth; two in Fifty-first; four in Ninety-third; all first class, with all improvements. Apply at 20 Nassau street, room No. 6, or corner of Third avenue and sixty-third street.
J. S. FERGUSON & S. S. MANGAM.

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY UP town, well rented; several Farms, cotton, sugar, orange and timber Lands, Suburban Residence, &c.
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LOW PRICED, SMALL HOUSES FOR SALE—IN Fifth, Eighth and Ninth wards; some with stables attached.
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EXECUTOR'S SALE
of elegant Household Furniture, all made to order by Better & Newhouse—India and rich Point Lace Shawls, &c., &c., comprising as follows, viz:—
PARLORS—Rich velvet Carpets, silk brocade Curtains and Draperies, carved rosewood solid Sofa, Tete-a-Tetes and Chairs, en suite; rosewood Centre and Side Tables, Ormulu Chandeliers, elegant artistic Bronze Group and Figures, Marble Statuary, fine modern Oil Paintings, Ormulu Clock and Candelabras, gilt frame pier and mantel Mirrors, rosewood 7 octave Piano, made by G. & H. Barmore, &c., &c.
DINING ROOM—Brussels Carpets, carved Extension Table and Chairs, in leather; rich carved rosewood Buffet, China, Dinner and Tea Service; Silver Plated and Cut Glass Ware, Cutlery, &c., &c.
BED ROOMS—Velvet and Brussels Carpets, rich carved rosewood and black walnut Bedsteads, Bureaus, Wardrobes, Lounges and Chairs, en suite, Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, Bedding, &c., &c.
Also,
One elegant India long Shawl, cost $1,800.
One square black real lace Shawl, cost $800.
One three square real lace Shawl, cost $400.
One white point real lace Shawl, cost $400.
Catalogues can be had, with cards of admission to view the furniture, one day before the sale, at office of auctioneers.
THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
evenings, Feb. 23, 24 and 25, at 7½ o'clock,
AT THE LEEDS ART GALLERIES,
Nos. 817 and 819 BROADWAY,
IMPORTANT SALE OF PAINTINGS, BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS, being the collection of a well known connoisseur, deceased, and comprising works of well known modern and old masters.
ALSO, FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, about 80 fine Pictures of the modern and ancient schools, to close invoices and pay advances and charges.
Also, by order of Sheriff, a private collection of ancient and modern Oil Paintings (postponed from 27th and 28th January), comprising the works of the following distinguished artists, viz.:—
J. F. CROPSEY, N. A.,
to his admirable picture of the White Mountains, painted in 1866.

N. De Keyzer,	F. Willems,	D. De Noter,
Foster, of London,	W. Hart, of London,	A. Gade,
Thomas Sully,	Murillo,	H. Vernet,
Verschuier,	Van Beecher,	Carlo Dolci,

and others. The above are now on exhibition free, day and evening, with catalogues.
FRIDAY, Feb. 24,
at private residence No. 65 Seventh avenue, near Fourteenth street, at 10½ o'clock,
Genteel Household Furniture; rosewood Boudoir Piano, Mirrors, Bronzes, Paintings, &c., &c.
Particulars on Thursday.
SATURDAY, Feb. 25,
at salesrooms, 95 Chambers and 77 Reade streets,
a large and general assortment of Furniture, Mirrors, Carpets, Pianos, &c., &c., removed for convenience of sale.
SATURDAY EVENING, March 4,
at the Leeds Art Galleries, Nos. 817 and 819 Broadway,
CARPET FUND SALE
of Cabinet Pictures, contributed by American Artists, about 140 in number. Particulars hereafter.

AUCTION SALE—MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURniture.—A rare chance for housekeepers.
On this day (WEDNESDAY), Feb. 22,
at the elegant residence 57 West Fifteenth street,
between Fifth and Sixth avenues, at 10½ o'clock,
Drawing Room Suits, covered French brocatel; marqueterie bois de rose Cabinet, Tables, Etageres, Bookcases, Encoignures, Canterbury, Jardinieres, Velvet, Medallion Carpets; Bronze Statuary, Clocks, Chandeliers, Ormulu, Paintings, by eminent artists; rosewood Pianoforte, celebrated maker; Extension Table, Sideboard, Silverware, Linen, Glassware, Chinaware, rosewood, walnut Bureaus; Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Mattresses, Blankets; Basement, Kitchen Furniture; Furniture servants' apartments.
AUGUSTUS A. SCHULZ, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE—THIS DAY, AT 10½ O'CLOCK, OF a small lot of Household Furniture, at 61 Powers street, Brooklyn, by COLE & MURPHY.

A. M. CRISTADAR, AUCTIONEER.
Second hand Household Furniture, Pianoforte, &c., to pay storage, charges and advances.
A. M. CRISTADAR will sell, Thursday, February 23, at 503 Broadway, near Houston street, at 10½ o'clock, a large quantity of miscellaneous Household Furniture, consisting of Bedsteads, Bureaus, Parlor Suits, Carpets, Refrigerators, Mattresses, Bedding, Mirrors, several Stoves, Kitchen Utensils and Crockery, in great variety; also a Parlor Hurdy Gurdy, plays 40 tunes; Music Box, marble top Counter, two Silver Plated Show Cases and Counters, &c. Sale positive and unreserved, to pay storage, charges and advances for the benefit of whom it may concern. Dealers and public invited.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., AUCTIONEERS.
Thursday, February 23, at 12 M., at the Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway.
River fronts and water privileges, 5 Lots on Harlem river, between 116th and 120th streets, together with dock, warehouse and sheds.
116th st., 3 Lots on the north side, adjoining the river lots.
120th st., 3 Lots on the south side, in rear of the above.
On the above lots are a fine stable, two nice offices, sheds, &c., &c. The steamboat landing from New York to Harlem is at 120th street; stores erected, one of them occupied; have gas, croton, &c., &c. Terms of sale liberal; the perfect Maps at 37 Cedar street.

AUCTION NOTICE.
EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer,
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF
EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN
PAINTINGS,
to be sold at Auction,
No. 51 Liberty street,
on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 24 and 25, commencing each day at 10 o'clock.
The above splendid collection is now on exhibition, and will be kept open on
WEDNESDAY, THE 22D.
Ladies are specially invited to the exhibition.

ALBERT B. WALDRON, AUCTIONEER.
Salesroom 142 Liberty and 12 Cedar street.
Furniture, Carpets, Bedding, &c.
ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,
at 10½ o'clock each day,
WALDRON & COOKE will include in their great sale of Furniture, &c.,
rosewood and walnut Chamber Suits,
oak and walnut Chamber Suits,
rosewood and walnut Parlor Suits,
Bookcases, Buffets, Wardrobes,
Office and Counting House Furniture,
Refrigerators, Carpets, Bedding,
Carpets, Oilcloths, Brussels,
Table and Chamber Oilcloths,
Glassware, Crockery, and Goods, &c.,
being the finest lot of goods we have offered at auction.
Auctioneer sale, Stock and Fixtures of Opera Cigar Store, corner of Union square and Fourteenth street. Unless some good offer is made, will be sold at auction on Friday, 24th inst., at 12 o'clock M.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, AUCTIONEER.
EXECUTORS' SALE OF HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MARBLE STATUES, BRONZES, &c.
By order of Executors of Louisa Lynch, deceased, ADRIAN H. MULLER, R. H. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on Thursday, February 23, at 10½ o'clock, at No. 17 West Seventeenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, the Furniture, viz.:—
Rich Brussels Carpets, Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Wardrobes, Tables, Chairs, Mirrors, Kitchen Furniture, Glassware, Crockery, and Goods, &c.
THE MARBLE STATUES AND BRONZES WILL BE SOLD AT 12 O'CLOCK.
Office of the Executors, Beekman and Arcade, near formerly the property of Horace Greeley, the latter, if desired, may have seen at a less day by application at the office of the Executors.
Catalogues at the office of the Auctioneers.

A. H. JOHNSTON, AUCTIONEER.
Office and Salesroom, 97 Nassau street.
Only Auction Office.
Sales every evening.
Marble Mantels of the finest.
JOHNSTON & CO. [illegible] on Friday, at 11 o'clock, at their salesroom, 97 Nassau street, [illegible] Hall Mantelpiece, Fireplace Fixtures and Tile Stove. [illegible]

SALES AT AUCTION.

AUCTION NOTICE.—R. T. HAZELL, AUCTIONEER.
Thursday, February 23,
and following days, at 10½ o'clock, at our salesroom,
No. 113 Chambers street,
Trade Sale of
American, English and German
Heavy and Shelf Hardware,
Table and Pocket Cutlery,
Tinned and Enameled Ware,
Plated Ware, Tea Trays, Guns, &c., &c.,
comprising full lines of desirable goods, in lots to suit city and country trade.
Catalogues on morning of sale.
R. T. HAZELL & CO.,
Auctioneers, 113 Chambers street.

AUCTION NOTICE.—113 WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH street, near Sixth avenue.
Over 820,000 worth and 400 lots by catalogue.
LUKE FITZGERALD, Auctioneer,
will sell this day (Wednesday) commencing at 10½ o'clock, all the elegant and costly Household Furniture, many rare and costly works of art, contained in above private brown stone mansion, viz.:—Magnificent brilliant toned 7¼ octave rosewood Pianoforte, fine clock Parlor Suits, rep Suits, Oil Paintings, Lace Curtains, Centre Tables, Etageres, Mirrors, Bookcase, Velvet and Brussels Carpets, Bedroom Suits, Dining Room, Basement and Kitchen Furniture, in lots to suit purchasers. Sale positive, rain or shine. Goods boxed and shipped for purchasers.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., AUCTIONEERS.—Wednesday, February 22, at 10½ o'clock, at 112 East Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue,
Handsome Household Furniture,
consisting of rosewood Parlor, walnut Bedroom and oak Dining Room Furniture; Carpets, Mirrors, Crockery, &c., &c. Catalogues at 77 Cedar street.

A. JOURNEAY, AUCTIONEER, OFFICE NO. 1 PINE street.—Auction sale on Thursday, February 23, at 12 o'clock, at Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway (Grady Building), property 19 Lispenard street, 310 East Forty-first street, 425 West Thirty-first street and 121, 123 and 127 West Twenty-eighth street; terms liberal. Bills at office of auctioneer, No. 1 Pine street.

BY F. COLTON, AUCTIONEER.—WILL SELL ON FRIday, February 24, at 10½ o'clock, at 53 East Thirteenth street, the entire Furniture, Carpets, Mirrors, China and Glassware of a large house, removed from Brooklyn. Particulars to-morrow.

BY J. W. CAMPBELL, JR., AUCTIONEER.—SELLS ON Thursday, 23d, two good eight horse power Hoisting Engines and one 20 horse power Boiler, all in good order. Can be seen at 580 and 582 West street.
CAMPBELL & CO., Auctioneers, 250 Bowery.

BY I. J. SWARZKOPF, AUCTIONEER.—SELLS TOmorrow (Thursday), 345 Sixth avenue, remainder of elegant Furniture, Carpets, superb Bookcase; also collection of rare and valuable Books, comprising over 250 volumes of the most popular and renowned standard authors. Sale positive and no reserve. Particulars to-morrow.
I. J. SWARZKOPF, 243 Bowery.

CLINTON HALL BOOK SALESROOMS AND ART GALleries (Astor place). GEO. A. LEAVITT & CO., Auctioneers (late Leavitt, Strebeigh & Co.).
Private Library at auction.
Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 24 and 25, at 7½ o'clock, sale of a private Library, comprising a large collection of Scientific Works, many very rare. Catalogues ready. Books on exhibition.
Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, at 7½ o'clock, sale of Books, Paintings, Water Colors, Engravings, &c., belonging to the late Mr. John Hagins; also a few fine Paintings belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Edward Hooper. Catalogues ready.

EXECUTOR'S SALE—VALUABLE THIRD AVENUE Property.—R. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer.—V. K. STEVENSON, SON & CO. will sell at public auction, at Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway, on Tuesday, February 28, 1871, six Lots, on Third avenue, near Forty-second street, in the vicinity of the Grand Union depot. For further particulars apply at the office of the Auctioneers, 11 Pine street, or to SAMUEL CARDWELL, Executor, 558 Third avenue.

JAMES M. MILLER, AUCTIONEER.
Auction Sale
JAMES M. MILLER will sell at public auction on Monday, February 27, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway, the valuable Houses and Lots 247 Bleecker street, on the southeast corner of West Tenth street, 25 feet 6 inches front by about 45 feet 1 inch deep; 250 Bleecker street, on the northwest corner of West Tenth street, 25 feet 11 inches on Bleecker street by 56 feet 8 inches deep, and 217 West Tenth street, adjoining the corner, 23 feet 1 inch by 98 feet 11 inches deep.
This property is very desirable for investment; is situated in an improving neighborhood, and one of the best locations for any business on the west side of the city. For maps or particulars apply to WM. A. W. LOWERRE, 229 Greenwich street, New York, or to the auctioneer, at his office, 23 Pine street.

JACOB DOGART, AUCTIONEER.
THIS DAY, Feb. 22
at 11 o'clock, at the auction rooms,
No. 1 North William street,
mortgage sale
large assortment Household Furniture.
Six black walnut Parlor Suits,
black walnut Bedroom Furniture,
Mirrors, Oil Paintings and Engravings,
pure Hair Mattress, Feather Pillows and Bolsters,
black walnut Wardrobes, Bureaus, Washstands;
Sheets, Wool Blankets, Pillow Cases,
black walnut Extension Dining Tables and Chairs,
Crockery and Glassware, Demijohns, Liquors and
Clocks, Silverplated Ware, Iron Safes,
Carpets, Oilcloth, Kitchen Furniture,
Patent Beef Steak Broiler, &c.
By order of the Attorney for Mortgagee.
THURSDAY, Feb. 23.
Marshal's Sale.
at 11 o'clock, at the auction rooms, No. 1 North William street, a lot of fine Cloths, Cassimeres, Clothing, &c.
JOHN C. DISS, Marshal.

Every attention paid to sales of Household Furniture at the residences of families declining housekeeping; also to Horses, Carriages, Stocks of Merchandise, Stocks of Groceries, &c.
JACOB DOGART, Auctioneer,
No. 1 North William street.

MARSHAL'S SALE.—I. S. WEINBERGER, AUCTIONeer, sells this day, at 10½ o'clock, 18 Barrels and Casks of Liquors, Brandies, &c., &c. Also 6 Gold and Silver Watches. By order of A. AYONS, City Marshal.

MARSHAL'S SALE OF LACES, LADIES' DRESS Trimmings, Button's, &c.—S. HERMAN, Auctioneer, will sell Thursday, Feb. 23, at 10½ o'clock, at 13 Bowery, a large lot of Laces, ladies' dress Trimmings, Buttons, Gimp, &c., being the entire stock of an importing jobbing house. By order of A. Aarons, City Marshal.

POSITIVE PARTITION SALE OF THREE STORY and cellar brick House and Lot, No. 191 Front street, near Bridge, Brooklyn. To be sold at auction on Thursday, February 23, at 12 o'clock, at the Commercial Exchange, No. 529 Fulton street, Brooklyn, by J. COLE, Auctioneer. Maps and full particulars at the auctioneer's.

PAWNBROKER'S SALE—THIS DAY—BY JOHN MORTIMER, 11 East Broadway, of 400 lots of choice Men's and Womens' Clothing, Bedding, &c. Order Hugh McAleenan, Second avenue. Dealers are invited to attend.

PAWNBROKER'S SALE—THIS DAY JAMES AGAR, Auctioneer, will sell, at 59 New Bowery, 500 lots Men's and Women's Clothing, Blankets, Quilts, &c. By order of Joseph Blumauer, 441 Seventh avenue.

S. DINGEE, AUCTIONEER.
By S. DINGEE & CO., No. 82 Cedar street.
Auctioneers and Brokers in Real Estate, Loans, Bonds and Mortgages.
Auction sales of City and Country Real Estate.
Auction sales of Household Furniture, Horses, Carriages, &c.
Selling, Exchanging and Letting of City and Country Property.
THURSDAY, February 23, 1871, at 12 o'clock,
at the Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway,
Southeast Corner Broome and Varick streets.
This valuable business property, with the improvements, covering 21x60 feet, to a 25 foot alley, on the corner of two important streets, in the business centre, will be sold by order of Theodore Ross, Esq., executor of the estate of Hon. James Monroe, deceased. For maps and full particulars apply to the Auctioneers' office, No. 82 Cedar street, or of EDWARD F. BROWN, No. 7 Nassau street, New York.

WM. WITTERS, AUCTIONEER—SELLS THIS DAY at 10 o'clock, at 434 Canal street, the genteel Furniture &c., of a large house—Gent Parlor Suits, French plate Mirrors, Centre, Dining and Tea Tables; Piano, Curtains, Etagere, Bookcase, black walnut, mahogany and enameled Chamber Suits; Hair Mattresses, large Feather Beds, Sheets, Blankets, Spreads, Lounges, Easy, Rocking and other Chairs; Wardrobes, Desks, Stoves, China, Glass, Silver Ware; 40 to 50 fine Carpets, Oilcloths and everything for housekeeping, in lots to dealers and housekeepers; 100 Chairs, nearly new, 2 Sewing Machines, &c.

WILLIAM ABBOTT, AUCTIONEER,
office No. 5 City Hall place.
Will sell on Thursday, at 10½ o'clock, the entire stock of Pictures and Furniture of Peter's restaurant and sample rooms, in lots, at No. 31 New street, consisting of six splendid walnut Counters, rich Stock's French Plate Mirrors, Oilcloths, one large Ice House, cost $140; Cutlery, Crockery, one fine Cigar Case, &c.

WILLIAM ABBOTT, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL THIS day, February 22, at 10½ o'clock sharp, at 85 New Chambers street, the entire stock of a furniture dealer retiring from the business, consisting of Bureaus, Bedsteads, Mirrors, Book Cases, Clocks, Ranges, Stoves, Ice Boxes, Sofas, Lounges, Counters, Lamps, Office Desks, a splendid Plumber Bedstead, Safes, Chairs, Tables and a variety of other articles. Dealers and buyers will please be prompt, as every article must be sold.

COPARTNERSHIPS.

DISSOLUTION.—THE FIRM OF DEWOLF & KNAPP is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
JAMES T. DEWOLF,
SHEPARD KNAPP.
The undersigned will settle all accounts of the late firm and continue the Carpet, Oilcloth, &c., business at the old stand, No. 257 Hudson street.
JAMES T. DEWOLF,
FEBRUARY 18, 1871.

THE BALL SEASON.

ANNUAL BALL—COMPLIMENTARY TO C. H. RIVERS, at Rivers' Academy, 175 Stanton street, corner of Court, Brooklyn, Washington's Birthday, Wednesday evening, Feb. 22. Tickets $2, admission a gentleman and ladies. Tickets can be obtained at the door on the evening of the soiree.

COAL AND WOOD.

COAL IN THE CARGO.—FRENCH NUTS (TURLEY), large Coal, of the best quality, from the Pottsville mines, for sale by the cargo and upwards at Baltimore.
BORDEN & LOVELL, 170 and 171 West street.

MATRIMONIAL.

A YOUNG LADY, WITH SOME MEANS, WOULD like to make the acquaintance of a male of equal position, with a view to matrimony. Address M. MALVIS, 34 Rose st., N. Y.

ASTROLOGY.

ALL THINGS REVEALED—NO CHARGE UNLESS satisfied. Consult the Astrologer, MADAME SINGER, Clairvoyant, 159 Canal street, near New York.

A FACT.—PROFESSOR MARS, THE ONE ON EARTH, tells the exact time of first offer, correct name and future engagement or marriage of business. 24 Third avenue, near Twenty-fourth st.

MADAME LE COUTE, STRICTLY LEGALLY INSTRUCted Trance Medium, continues to consult. French and English spoken. 42 West Washington square, Waverly place.

MADAME RUSS, MEDICAL AND BUSINESS CLAIRvoyant, tells the past, present and future, consulting rooms of Brabant, 106 West Fourteenth st., between Broadway and Sixth avenue.

THE ORIGINAL MME. FIRON, MEDICAL AND Spiritual Clairvoyant, 327 West Twenty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Ladies, $1.

136 THIRD AVENUE.—MADAME WIDNER, MEDIcal, [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
THIRD WEEK
AND CONTINUED SUCCESS
of the
RIGHELIEU
WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS,
CONTINUED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.
Seats secured six days in advance.
In active preparation, a totally original drama, written expressly for this theatre by Mr. Augustin Daly.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.
TWO GRAND PERFORMANCES.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22.
MATINEE AT 2. — EVENING AT 8. — RICHELIEU
G. L. RICHELIEU.....FOX
OF THE PERIOD.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
GRAND NATIONAL HOLIDAY
MATINEE. MATINEE. MATINEE.
TWO PERFORMANCES TO-DAY.
AFTERNOON AT HALF-PAST ONE,
EVENING AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.
THE BLACK CROOK REMODELLED.
THE BLACK CROOK REMODELLED.
Introduction of an
ENTIRE NEW GRAND BALLET,
entitled
THE DEMONS' REVEL,
with new and elegant Costumes,
wonderful and startling effects,
beautiful and original music,
and embracing in its performance the entire ballet force of this establishment.
THE CELEBRATED RIZARELLI BROTHERS,
the Gymnasts of the world.
MONS. SIEGRIST
and his
TWO BEAUTIFUL BOYS,
aged 3 and 4 years, in their
FAMOUS SCENA DE SALON.
EIGHTH WEEK OF THE GREAT MAJILTONS
AND THE GREAT SKATERS,
with all the superb scenery,
brilliant effects,
magnificent tableaux

NIBLO'S GARDEN—NIBLO'S GARDEN.
NATIONAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATION.
TO-DAY, FEBRUARY 22, AT HALF-PAST ONE,
WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY,
EXTRA GRAND MATINEE
of the
BLACK CROOK,
BLACK CROOK,
BLACK CROOK,
with all its
UNRIVALLED ATTRACTIONS.
THE GREAT MAJILTONS.
THE UNIQUE SKATERS.
THE SIEGRIST CHILDREN.
THE RIZARELLI BROTHERS,
THE NEW GRAND DEMON BALLET
and the
GORGEOUS SCENERY.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—EXTRA MATINEE,
WEDNESDAY (WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY),
BLACK CROOK, AT HALF-PAST ONE.

5TH AVENUE THEATRE.
Twenty-fourth street, near Broadway. Every night at 8.
Sole Lessee and Manager.....Mr. AUGUSTIN DALY.
TENTH
WEEK
of
SARATOGA
and
LAST
NIGHTS
of the
most
BRILLIANT
SUCCESS
and
AMUSING
COMEDY
The Times says:—"The audience first titters, then chuckles, then bursts into cachinatory volleys, and finally abandons itself to positive roars of laughter." The Tribune says:—"Crowded and fashionable audiences still demand more SARATOGA, and Mr. DALY is forced to postpone all novelties. The Herald calls SARATOGA, 'the comic sensation of 1871.' Characters by Miss Fanny Davenport, Fanny Morant, Clara Morris, Linda Dietz, Mrs. Gilbert, Amy Ames, Mrs. Winter, Kate Claxton, Miss Volnor, Mr. James Lewis, D. H. Harkins, W. Davidge, George Parkes, G. F. De Vere, D. Whiting, Mathison, Bascomb, Bunnett and others.
*. THIRTEENTH MATINEE OF SARATOGA on Saturday next, at 1½. Seats sec

WASHINGTON.

Precarious Condition of Senator Sumner's Health.

Manufacturers Asking a Repeal of the Duty on Wool.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Charter.

What the Pacific Railroad Saves the National Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

Precarious Condition of Senator Sumner.

The health of Senator Sumner continues precarious. He suffered less to-day than on yesterday, but his physicians have notified him that he cannot receive company without putting himself in danger of a relapse. He must abstain from all excitement and secure as much quietness as possible. It is thought that he will not be able to resume his seat in the Senate again this session.

The Prohibitory Duty on Wool.

The Ways and Means Committee had a delegation of gentlemen before them to-day interested in having the duty on wool and woollen goods reduced. They made an argument to show that the duty on wool is so high as almost to prohibit its importation. The committee informed them that it was now too late in the session to secure concurrent legislation on this question.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Bill Passed by the House.

The House, by a vote of nearly two to one, passed the Southern Pacific Railroad bill to-day as reported from the Committee on the Pacific Railroad. As it stands the bill provides for a trunk road from Marshall, Texas, to San Diego, California. All the branch roads are cut off, together with the land grants they conveyed. This action of the committee is acceptable to the gentlemen interested in the bill. There are certain parties in the Senate interested in these branch roads who threaten to defeat the bill for the main trunk, but it is not thought they will be able to succeed. The bill was very skillfully managed in the House to-day by Mr. Wheeler, of New York, chairman of the Committee on the Pacific Railroad. The democrats attempted to filibuster, so that the bill would be compelled to go over; but they were unable to consume more than two hours, at the end of which the bill passed.

The Appropriation Bills.

Mr. Dawes, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, had an order made in the House to-day, by which the rules are suspended and the appropriation bills are to be considered in the House as in committee of the whole. This will facilitate business considerably, and, so far as the House is concerned, there is now no danger of any of the appropriation bills failing.

The New York Scrip Dividend Tax.

The resolution referred to the Ways and Means Committee yesterday, directing the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to collect, without further delay, the tax due from the New York Central Railroad Company on the dividends of its stock, is not likely to be acted upon before the close of the session. The committee took it up to-day, but was unable to come to any agreement upon it. The general opinion is that it will not be reported.

Benefits of the Union Pacific Railroad.

The President has sent a communication to the Senate in reply to a resolution, in which he encloses the statements of the expenses of the government for communication, transportation, &c., from 1849 to 1864, when the act for the construction of the Pacific Railroad was passed, from the Missouri river to California, embracing the following States and Territories, viz.:—Kansas, Nebraska, Nevada, California, Utah and Colorado, for the Indian office, $8,923,857. The Secretary of War says that the entire cost to the military service of guarding the overland route, from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean, was about $100,000,000. This sum is rather below than above the cost of the service. The Postmaster General says that the cost of transportation of the mails to the Pacific coast and intermediate points west of the Missouri river was not less than $14,563,988, making a total of $123,507,865, or an average of over $8,000,000 per annum.

The Executive Mansion

was thrown open to-day to visitors, an immense number of whom are availing themselves of the opportunity to pass through the East Room and the different parlors. In the department no business is being transacted.

Territorial Government for the District.

The President to-day signed the bill to provide a government for the District of Columbia.

Republican Congressional Caucus.

The republican members elect of the Forty-second Congress have been requested to meet in caucus in the Hall of the Representatives, on Thursday, March 2. The object is to select candidates for officers of the House.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD CHARTER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The Senate bill as passed by the House to-day, with amendments, retains as corporators of the South Pacific Railway:—

John O. Fremont, James L. Alcorn, G. M. Dodge, O. C. French, John D. Caldwell, J. J. Noah, A. G. Osborne, Timothy Hurley, C. C. Pool, Cyrus N. Martin, John M. Corse, George E. Wentworth, P. H. Morgan, J. D. Cameron, Marshall O. Roberts, James L. Hodges, John Hay, W. Vermilye, Enoch L. Fancher, Charles P. Livermore, Joseph H. Ordesby, John Whytock, Daniel Drew, F. S. Davis, W. Orton, A. C. Babcock, Thomas A. Scott, Samuel D. Hoffman, H. Ramsdell, W. H. Jackson, R. C. Parsons, Delos W. Emmons, M. A. Southworth, John H. Hall, G. C. Kinsey, W. P. Clark, James Bark, H. Jacobs, L. T. Smith, W. P. Dole, C. A. Weed, A. P. K. Safford, H. McCulloch, Charles Jackson, Elisha Dyer, Alfred Anthony, James Hoy, M. W. Benjamin, H. D. Cooke, Joseph R. West, W. S. Huntington, J. M. Telfairs, C. C. Leonbridge, D. D. Porter, M. Woodhull, Hiram Price, M. C. Hunter, W. T. Walters, J. B. Brewplow, T. A. Morris, Owen Fuller, J. B. Ledlie, B. M. Bishop, Samuel Craighead, D. N. Stanton, Augustus H. Whiting, G. L. Johnston, J. W. Goodland, Powell Clayton, Samuel Tate, W. Bolton, H. Robinson, George Maney, O. H. Byrom, M. Burns, J. C. Goodloe, E. G. Barney, Cyrus Buser, J. W. Torney, J. Lockwood, E. M. Davis, N. Patton, W. Flanigan, G. O'Fleh, G. F. Bach, G. H. Gidding, J. J. Newell, E. W. Rice, B. M. Smoemaker, Samuel Sloan, S. W. Morton, J. B. Bowman, L. M. McKinney, J. J. Hinds, G. R. Weeks, J. L. Ludling, B. D. Gilbert, R. D. Williams, Thomas Olcott, G. A. Foshick, Harry Hayes, G. S. Forbes, John S. Sprague, L. R. Marsh, A. W. Beckwith, J. C. Stanton, Cyrus H. Baldwin, A. J. Hamilton, Rush R. Sloan, Silas C. Cosgrove, Samuel B. Jones, A. H. Decker, William N. Lock, B. J. Allen, J. B. Chanes, Augustus Kountz, John N. Goodwin, William S. Rosecrans, Michael Hahn, H. C. Warmoth, J. S. Williams, C. M. Spencer, L. J. Higby, W. C. Kimball, and all such persons as shall or may be associated with them and their successors.

The corporation is authorized and empowered to lay out, locate, construct, furnish, maintain and enjoy a continuous railroad and telegraph line, with the appurtenances, from a point on the eastern boundary of the State of Texas, at or near Marshall, to ship channel in the Bay of San Diego, in the state of California, pursuing in the location thereof, as near as may be, the route known as the thirty-second parallel of north latitude, and is vested with all the powers, privileges and immunities necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act. The persons named as corporators shall constitute a board of commissioners, who shall meet in the city of New York within ninety days after the passage of this act, after due publication, and when so met cause books to be opened for subscription of capital stock, and when 20,000 shares, amounting to $2,000,000, shall have been subscribed and ten per centum actually paid thereon, then it shall be lawful for such subscribers or a majority thereof to organize the company. The capital stock of the company shall be fixed at a sum not exceeding $50,000,000, and when the amount is fixed it shall never be increased except by consent of Congress. The company has power and authority to purchase the stock, and grants, &c., and consolidate with any railroad company or companies heretofore chartered on the route prescribed in this act, but no such consolidation shall be with any competing through line of railroads to the Pacific Ocean.

The company also has power to make running arrangements with any railroad companies; also to purchase lands or accept donations or grants of lands or other property from States or individuals for the purpose of carrying out the object of the company. The right of way through the public lands is granted to the extent of two hundred feet in width on each side of the railroad, wherever it may go over public lands, and grounds are also granted for stations, buildings, workshops, wharves, switches, side tracks, turn-tables, water stations and such other structures as may be necessary, not exceeding forty acres at any one point. There is also granted every alternate section of public land not mineral designated by odd numbers to the amount of twenty alternate sections per mile on each side of the railway through the Territories of the United States and ten alternate sections of land per mile on each side of the railway in California, where the same shall not have been sold, reserved or otherwise disposed of by the United States, and to which a pre-emption or homestead claim may not have attached at the time that said road is definitely fixed. In such cases other lands are to be furnished. All lands granted which shall not be sold or otherwise disposed of within three years after completion of the entire road shall be subject to settlement and pre-emption, like other lands, at the price to be fixed and paid to the company, not exceeding an average of two dollars and fifty cents per acre.

The company shall have power and authority to issue two kinds of bonds, secured by mortgage, namely—first, construction bonds; second, land bonds. Construction bonds shall be secured by mortgage—first, on all or any portion of the franchises, road bed or track of said railway and all the appurtenances thereto belonging. Land bonds shall be secured by mortgage—first, on all or any portions of the lands hereby granted. Whenever the company shall complete the first and each succeeding section of twenty consecutive miles of railway, and put it in running order as a first class road, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Interior to cause patents to be issued conveying to the company the number of sections of land opposite to and coterminus with said completed road to which it shall be entitled for each section so completed. All railroads constructed or that may be hereafter constructed to intersect said South Pacific Railway shall have a right to connect with that line. That no discrimination as regards charges for freight or passengers, or in any other matter, shall be made by said South Pacific Railway Company against any of said connecting roads; but that the same charges per mile as to passengers and per ton per mile as to freight passing from the said South Pacific Railway over any of said connecting roads, or passing from any of said connecting roads over any part of said South Pacific Railway, shall be made by said company as they make for freight and passengers over their own road; provided also that said connecting roads shall reciprocate said right of connection and equality of charges with the said South Pacific Railway; and, provided further, that the rates charged for carrying passengers and freight per mile may be fixed by Congress for carrying passengers and freight on the Union Pacific and Central Pacific Railroads.

The road shall be constructed of iron or steel rails, manufactured from American ore, except such as may have been purchased or already contracted for. The construction of the railway shall commence simultaneously at San Diego and at a point at or near Marshall, Texas, to be completed within ten years. The road shall be subject to the use of the United States for postal, military and all other government services, at fair and reasonable rates of compensation, not to exceed the price paid by private parties for the same kind of service, and the government shall at all times have a preference in the use of the same for the purpose aforesaid. It shall not be lawful for any of the directors to make any contracts or agreements with the South Pacific Railroad Company, either in their individual capacity or as members of an incorporated or joint stock company, to make contracts for the construction, equipment or running of its road, or to have any interest therein; and all such contracts or agreements are hereby declared null and void, and all money or property received under such contracts or agreements may be recovered back for the benefit of the company by any stockholder.

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Railroads Again—The Sale of Poisons—The Jersey City Charter Thrown Aside—Hoboken Looking Ahead—A Short but Lively Session.

Another railroad bill has been introduced into the Legislature of New Jersey. This provides for another air line from New York to Philadelphia. The real object of the bill is to divert the attention of Camden and Amboy so that either air line can be pushed through while the monopoly is fighting the other. Mr. Sanxay introduced a bill for the appointment of a commission to take charge of the Bergen tunnel and settle matters in dispute between the contending railroads. The Delaware and Lackawanna have a bill authorizing the construction of a tunnel through Bergen hill so as to avoid all future complications. The Erie men have generally offered to help this matter through.

A lively debate arose in the House yesterday morning on the bill regulating

THE SALE OF POISONS.

Messrs Hornblower and Patterson resisted the bill persistently, and endeavored to have physicians exempt from its provisions. The Newark men—from whom it emanated—fought it through, however, and it was finally passed.

The special order for the morning session was the Jersey City charter.

THE LOBBY

was filled with Jersey City men, all deeply interested in the measure. When the speaker announced the special order Mr. Fielder—who has taken his stand with the people and against the contractors' ring—moved to have the bill laid over till the afternoon, and the motion was agreed to. Messrs. Sanxay, of Essex, and Patterson, of Monmouth—the latter the leader of the democratic side—were tucking up their sleeves to lead off the opposition, when the postponement was suddenly announced. Had the bill come up it would be so mutilated and shorn of its outrageous provisions that nothing would be left of it but a skeleton.

BURSTED AND HIS GANG

tried to improve the hours of recess in procuring new supporters for his pet charter; but he found the ground was slipping from under his feet, and when the House reassembled the charter men were so apprehensive of utter defeat that they had the bill postponed till next Tuesday.

Several republican members insist on the appointment of Lucas Fitzpatrick on some of the commissions, although he is a democrat. He is a gentleman whose integrity is unquestioned, and his appointment would go far to counteract the schemes of the designing men who are endeavoring to plunder the city. The charter men consented under strong pressure, but afterwards struck his name out. This very act sealed the fate of the bill, which is now virtually killed.

The Hoboken charter was also discussed in caucus yesterday. Bernard McGoskey, J. Logan and Chas. Chamberlain had an interview with members of the Municipal Corporation Committee on the subject. The annexation of Weehawken township is provided for, and there are some apprehensions that the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company will procure the defeat of the bill on that account. The jolly, fat, heavy weight representative from Hoboken, Hermann D. Busch, is always to be found in his seat, and when he addresses the House he seldom fails to carry his point.

Several Hoboken men were also interested in procuring the passage of the bill creating the office of

REGISTER OF DEEDS FOR HUDSON COUNTY,

but the measure was defeated. It was aimed as a blow against County Clerk John Kennedy, who seems to have lost the support and sympathy of the Hoboken men, to whom he is indebted for his position.

The time for introducing private bills expired yesterday, and an effort is being made to have an early adjournment. The session will probably terminate about the middle of March.

In the Senate Mr. Woolverton introduced a bill to incorporate the Trenton Printing and Publishing Company, Mr. Taylor to incorporate

THE HUDSON MARKET COMPANY

of Jersey City, Mr. Adams to incorporate the New Jersey Coast Canal Company.—Filed third readings to authorize Newark to borrow $100,000 for the purchase of land and erection of schoolhouses; Mr. Taylor introduced a bill to incorporate the New Jersey Real Estate Association. The act to repeal an act concerning actions at law was passed. The supplement to

THE CHARTER OF NEWARK

was passed. A bill was introduced providing for a supplement to the Jersey City Gaslight Company. In the House a bill was introduced to vacate part of Commerce street, Kalamazoo.

The time for the introduction of private bills was extended to February 24. Great mass of business of small importance. Houses rose at six o'clock.

"THERE IS NO" IN CONNECTICUT.

Trouble Among Workmen—Iron Moulders' Strike—The Terrible Trades Union People.

BRIDGEPORT, Feb. 21, 1871.

The iron moulders at the Howe Machine Company, in this city, have been on a strike for a number of weeks and the company has, during that time, made several efforts to replace them by other men from abroad. Two or three lots of men have been imported, but have been driven away by the strikers or have left voluntarily upon learning the condition of affairs. More recently, however, a number of men were secured by the company who have manifested a determination to stick in spite of the threats of the strikers, who belong to the organization known as the Iron Moulders' Union. On Saturday night, the 14th, two of the new workmen were attacked by the old moulders on Main street and knocked down and beaten. One of the men attacked drew a knife to defend himself from further assault, and was arrested by an officer, with the knife in his hand. Two of the assaulting party were also arrested, but the ringleader has thus far eluded the police. On Monday the parties were brought before Judge Bullock at the City Court, and Wm. H. Danley, the assaulted member, was discharged, while John Ward, who assisted in the assault, was fined five dollars and costs. A crowd of the strikers attended the court and followed Danley over to East Bridgeport after the trial. But as two officers accompanied him no assault was committed. On Monday night one of the new moulders was assaulted in East Bridgeport by two persons, who came upon him suddenly, and he was so badly beaten as to be incapable of moving at all to-day. He is unable to identify his assailants, as it was very dark when the assault was committed. The officers of the Moulders' Union deprecate all violence and counsel only legal measures of opposition.

ICE-BOAT RACING.

Exciting Contest on the Hudson River—Mishaps and Incidents of the Race—Exhilerating Sport.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Feb. 21, 1871.

One week ago the ice on the Hudson was covered with snow to the depth of a foot or more, a situation very demoralizing to the members of the Poughkeepsie Iceboat Association, who then saw no prospects of "getting off" the annual regatta of the association. On Saturday last, however, came a heavy rain storm, the first in three months. To say simply that it rained would not half convey the idea. The water poured down in torrents, driving and melting the snow through the ice, and then came cold weather—just what was needed—and the next morning the bosom of old Hudson was one clear glare of ice for a distance of 100 miles. Not an obstruction met the view anywhere. That was a splendid outlook for iceboatmen, and immediately bustle and activity was noticed among them everywhere. Rigging was tightened, runners sharpened, topmasts strengthened, &c. The Commodore of the fleet, Mr. O. H. Booth, conversed with prominent members of the association, when it was concluded to put on the annual race at nine o'clock this morning. Daybreak came clear and cold, and with a spanking breeze from the northeast.

THE COURSE.

It had been resolved to sail eight miles to the southward, or as near to the New Hamburg buoy as possible, turn stakeboat and return. By daylight one or two boats were slipping along over the route, so that their helmsmen could profit by the trip.

THE PRIZE.

The prize which the boats contested for was a magnificent silver wine pitcher. It is fifteen inches in height, and measures twenty-one inches in circumference at the bowl. It was manufactured expressly for the association by Tiffany & Co., of New York city, at a cost of $200. It has been held one year without being contested for, there being no iceboating last winter. The first and only prize ever contested for by boats of the association previous to this winter was a beautiful silver service, which was won in 1863 by the flaze, Aaron Innis's owner.

GETTING READY.

By the time appointed the owners of the contesting boats in to-day's race assembled in the private office of M. Vassar & Co., at the Brewery, where many details of minor importance were arranged, and where the owners of the boats drew by lot for position, the result being as follows:—

No.	Boat.	Owner.
1	Ella	T. V. Johnston.
2	News Boy	C. Wikinson.
3	Icicle	John Roosevelt.
4	Zephyr	J. Buckhout.
5	Snow Flake	Commodore Booth.
6	Haze	Aaron Innis.

All the boats were then ordered into line at once; but Mr. Buckhout's Zephyr having met with an accident, a half hour was allowed him in which to make repairs. He afterwards came promptly to time, when

THE JUDGES,

Professor H. G. Eastman and Hudson Taylor, and the referee, William C. Arnold, gave notice to all to look out for the word. At this juncture crowds of people were visible upon the ice in the vicinity of the boats and upon the piers in front of the city. From a flagstaff on Vassar's Brewery waved the club flag, while other buildings were also decorated with bunting.

THE START.

At the proper time the men on board the Ella, the first boat to start, sung out that they were ready, when all eyes were turned towards that fleet craft. The judges signalled the helmsmen to have a care, and then shouted "Go!" In a twinkling she wore away before the wind, and as the fresh, cold northeaster struck her canvas she dashed away southward, with almost the rapidity of lightning. In a minute she was more than a mile away, and in that time all the other boats were following her, the News Boy being second; and as that craft left the home starting point a tremendous haw of wind struck her, raising her nose high in the air, when her helmsman lost all control of her and she whirled around like a top. That was bad for the man on her windward runner plank, for in a jiffy he found himself sliding on the ice with fearful velocity a hundred yards away. He was not, however, hurt in the least, though he was hurled from the boat like a ball from a cannon. Before he could stop rolling over the boat had regained her equilibrium and was dashing away after her rivals, leaving the discomfitted passenger behind to enjoy the screams of laughter which went up on his account. Soon after the Zephyr got away she broke a runner, and had to haul out of the race. There was a general expression of regret over her misfortune, as she is considered one of the fastest vessels in the fleet.

THE RACE.

The race down the river was of the most exciting character. Some of the boats had three men in, some four and one five. When nearing the lower stakeboat the Ella, still ahead, made two short stretches looking for the turning point, when the Icicle, which was bearing down upon her with more than the speed of the wind, passed her, the Snow Flake coming next, but keeping behind the Ella, and the Haze fourth, while the News Boy lagged behind. To the surprise of many the Icicle did not turn the stake, but kept on down the river, apparently making straight for New Hamburg buoy, while the Ella rounded the stakeboat and headed for home in fine style, followed by the Snow Flake, Haze and News Boy. Suddenly, after ascertaining that he had passed the stakeboat, the helmsman of the Icicle wirled his vessel about and started homeward also. His boat sped up the river like a whirlwind, soon passing the Snow Flake, Haze and News Boy, and then made a dash for the Ella, but did not reach her. All rushed across the line at home in the following order and time:—

Boat.	Time.	M.	S.
Ella	11 o'clock A. M.	23	10
Icicle	11 o'clock A. M.	25	42
Haze	11 o'clock A. M.	31	05
Snow Flake	11 o'clock A. M.	33	01
News Boy	11 o'clock A. M.	37	02

Coming home the Haze passed the Snow Flake and for a time they had a splendid race, but the Haze kept ahead. The owner of the latter informed me that he had no faith in his boat winning the race, because of the dullness of his runners. Coming up the Snow Flake met with an accident in the breaking of her rudder stock. As soon as all got out of their boats the judges held a meeting, when Mr. Roosevelt, of the Icicle, stated that he understood the boats were to turn a stake boat at New Hamburg buoy, which caused him to sail past the real stake boat off Jewell's creek. His misunderstanding, however, was unfortunate for him, and the judges awarded the prize to Mr. T. V. Johnston's boat, the Lila, which gave general satisfaction. Very many supposed extraordinary time would be made, and it was, when the fact is considered that the boats were compelled to make numerous stretches from the east to the west shore and back to avoid shell ice and other obstructions. In making these stretches it is closely estimated that all the boats went at least four miles out of their way from a direct line to the stake boat, which made a twelve mile course. That distance was accomplished on the down trip in ten and a half or eleven minutes, the quickest time on record. Coming back the wind was dead ahead, consequently the matter of time could not be taken into consideration. On none of the tacks, however, did the boats consume more than a minute to a mile. When the winning boat came in she was welcomed with shouts and cheers and the blowing of steam whistles. It is not improbable that a race will soon take place between the Ella and Icicle for another prize, as Mr. Roosevelt is not satisfied as to the speed of the two vessels, in consequence of his mistake. This afternoon Mr. Johnston took Rev. Mr. Van Gieson on board the Ella and made a five mile scud down the river.

TORNADO IN CALIFORNIA.

Terrific Storm in San Francisco—Fiercest Lightning Ever Known on the Pacific Coast—Fearful Effects of the Wind and Rain—House Crushed by a Falling Wall—Four Lives Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21, 1871.

Heavy rains were prevailing in this State last night. At eleven o'clock P. M. a terrific southeaster burst on the city, accompanied by rain, hail, thunder and lightning, doing much damage. Hitherto the inhabitants of California were accustomed to note faint flashes of lightning and low rumbles of thunder, hardly recognizable in the intervals of years. The flashes of last night were as vivid as those seen in the Western States, almost continuously accompanied by tremendous peals of thunder, producing more consternation than a heavy earthquake would have done in San Francisco.

The storm commenced at about midnight and lasted over an hour, the barometer falling lower than ever before known in this latitude. At the corner of New Montgomery and Minna streets a fire wall, twelve feet high and sixty feet long, was blown from the top of a three story house on a frame building adjoining it, crushing the latter into ruins, beneath which were buried from fifteen to twenty persons. All got out safe, or not fatally injured, except Mrs. McLeonard, the wife of a watchman at the State Prison, her child, ten months old, a daughter, twelve years old, and Mrs. Slogan, all of whom were instantly killed and frightfully mangled. Several others were injured, but none fatally.

Three alarms of fire during the storm aided to make the night the most remarkable ever experienced here. There was more thunder and lightning in one hour than ever before heard and seen in San Francisco altogether.

The shipping in the harbor generally escaped without serious damage. The storm in the mountains was severe. The telegraph lines were damaged in all directions.

THE NEW HAMBURG DISASTER.

Address of the Coroner to the Jury—Recapitulation of the Evidence.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Feb. 21, 1871.

The Coroner's jury in the New Hamburg disaster met at two o'clock this afternoon to deliberate upon the testimony which has been given and to make a verdict. Coroner Andrus presented to them the following:—

GENTLEMEN—In submitting this case to your deliberation it is, perhaps, unnecessary to call your attention to its importance or to the interest with which the public will regard your decision. That you have patiently, thoroughly and impartially investigated the whole matter is a fact beyond question. Though it may not be necessary, yet I beg leave to present for your consideration a few points suggested by the testimony. Was the oil train in question fully equipped with the proper and reliable brake; an engine in good order, and other appliances for its successful control, with men competent and faithful to their duties and working at their proper posts? Might the broken axle have been discovered sooner had a brakeman been at his place in or near the middle of the train, and consequently by his notice to the engineer the train have been stopped in time to prevent the tank car from running off the track? As these oil trains are known to contain a very highly inflammable, and therefore dangerous material, had there been such caution exercised on the part of those in charge of the train in question to guard against accident as the public have a right to demand to insure safety while traveling on the road which a proper and thorough examination of the running gear at each of their stopping places would have evinced? If the four yard brakeman had been on the watch for signals from the conductor at his post of duty, instead of shoveling coal, might the engineer, through him, have received the signal to stop much sooner than he did? Was the conductor of the oil train guilty of neglect by not having each brakeman at his post? Was he culpable in disobeying the rules of the road by not having a bell cord strung over his train, although practically it may have been useless as a means for transmitting signals from the caboose to the engineer, but which might have been thus used successfully from the middle of the train? Was the utmost diligence used in stopping the train after Carroll had notified the conductor of a broken axle? Was the signal given to the express as quickly by those in charge of the oil train as it might have been after the oil car ran off the track? If a watchman having charge of the tower light had been stationed at the drawbridge when trains were due at that point, as had been the fact until within the last two or three months, could he, by changing that light after the oil car ran off, have signalled the express train while yet far enough away to have enabled it to stop before reaching the drawbridge? Cunningham swears that a man could have changed that light in one minute from the time of starting to ascend to the tower. In connection with this you will notice that Carroll swears that the oil train arrived at New Hamburg station at 10:17. Engineer Roe swears that it took him perhaps a minute and a half to run from that point to the drawbridge, directly after which the oil car must have run on to the track on the bridge some six minutes before the collision, which occurred, as conductor Cossum testifies, at twenty-five minutes past ten. On the other hand, Roe swears that he arrived at New Hamburg station at twenty-four or twenty-five minutes past ten. Millard testifies that he was with Carroll at the station when the oil train passed there and that he immediately ran down the track and crossed the draw, that he remained on the bridge south of the draw some two minutes and was afterwards about 150 feet from it on the track when the express engine struck the car; and the time that he consumed in running from the station to the draw, a distance of over seventy rods, you can estimate for yourselves. These facts, considered in connection with the point at which the express engine had arrived when she blew her whistle to apply brakes, according to Roe's testimony, would seem to indicate the number of minutes that elapsed from the time the oil car left its track and ran on to the other on the drawbridge to the catastrophe. The distance run by the express train during these minutes will be indicated by her rate of speed. Particular attention, therefore, is called to the testimony of Millard and Carroll as to the position of the express when first seen by them, of Cossum as to time and rate of speed, and to that of Roe and the fireman of the express when her whistle was first blown, and of Cunningham as to the stopping of express trains by signals and time of working the light. Have satisfactory reasons been adduced for withdrawing the watchman from the drawbridge this winter, or why the most improved method for quickly changing the light had not been adopted? Were the brakes of the express train in proper working order; had they been examined with sufficient frequency and care to insure, as far as possible, in this manner the safety of the train? The testimony shows that with the engine reversed and the patent brakes applied the train could have been stopped in running the distance of one-half or three-fourths of a mile. From the testimony of Tallon, fireman of the express, it appears that he attempted to apply those brakes by pulling the bell cord, of which he drew in some three yards; yet, according to the testimony of the conductor, brakeman and passengers, the patent or safety brakes on the sleeping cars were none of them sprung. If these appliances were all in order and ready for instant use upon the proper signal being given, where does the responsibility belong for their not being applied on this occasion? From Tallon's own testimony in connection with that of Roe it would seem that the train was fully half a mile from the drawbridge when he received the order from engineer Simmons to "put on the patents." I would respectfully direct the attention of the jury to the instructions for the use of the "Safety Brake," the rules as to signals, and rules 31, 37, 49, 50, 52, 54, 55, 58, 61, 62, 65, 71, 73, 75, 88, 89, and special orders as to use of all bell cords. Other points than those which I have presented may be suggested to your minds. Such you will fully consider, and all without being unduly influenced by any judgment implied by what I have called to your attention. It is your duty to fearlessly determine from the testimony taken before you where rests the responsibility of the fearful disaster of February 6, 1871, from which means may also be suggested for the prevention of similar scenes hereafter.

The jury then retired, but up to the time of closing this letter had not returned a verdict.

CHARLES DICKENS.

Lecture by George W. Curtis.

George William Curtis delivered his lecture on Charles Dickens last night, to a large audience, in Adelphi Academy, Brooklyn. He began with a delightful *résumé* of the story tellers who preceded Dickens, and then introduced his audience to the great hero of his lecture as he stood in New York reading his inimitable "Christmas Carol," likening him to Homer chanting the tale of Troy or Defoe reciting Robinson Crusoe, with his listeners

LIKE HAPPY CHILDREN.

Dickens a snob! What is a snob? A man who admires mean things meanly. When Scott died the throne was vacant. There was no cry of "Live the King," for there was no king.

Bulwer was making weak dilutions of Byron and Disraeli was stinging with his personage; James was getting his two horsemen comfortably into their saddles for their long journey, and Captain Marryatt was

MAKING EVERYBODY SEASICK.

But there was no master. Hood's "Bridge of Sighs" was the first echo to Burns' "A man's a man, for a' that." The novel writer is the tremendous pamphleteer of genius. He takes the place of the statesman and the orator. Demosthenes must yield to Dickens. The most searching influence of modern society is that of the story teller. The distinction of Dickens' genius was its moral power, though his stories were never swamped in a sermon. When "Nicholas Nickelby" came out all the schoolmasters cried,

"MY NAME ISN'T SQUIRES!"

and when little Dorrit knocked at the door of the circumlocution office every barnacle looked out, crying for help, and saying, "Here's a man who wants to know—you know." Charles Dickens made his genius the voice of the voiceless. He made the English novel

THE PLEA OF THE WRETCHED.

Homer never spoke of the poor man. Shakspeare did not speak of him, except as the butt of gibes. To deduct Dickens from the present generation would be like taking a great reformer from his special reform. He was our great street preacher, and his audience listened from palace windows and from curbstones.

The lecturer was interrupted often by applause, as he showed by his masterly and sympathetic analysis of the character and motives of the great novelist, that he was of all men the one to speak fittingly of Dickens.

RECEPTION OF THE THIRTEENTH, OF BROOKLYN.

The Brooklyn Academy of Music was resplendent last night with the glitter and glare of brilliant military epaulettes, belts, swords, diamonds and personal ornaments of every description. The occasion was the full dress reception of the gallant Thirteenth regiment, National Guard State of New York. The mere announcement of a reception by this fine military corps in the City of Churches never fails to meet with the enthusiastic endorsement of the fair friends of the members of that organization, and never fails to attract them to the entertainment. Last evening the attendance was most select and numerous, the toilets of the ladies being both elegant and rich. The floor of the Academy was carpeted with handsome medallion Brussels carpet, the same which adorned the place on the occasion of the late Charity Ball. Canary birds were suspended from the balconies in handsome cages. These feathered songsters lent the charm of warbling notes to the music of Grafulla's and the regimental band. The former was located in the rear part of hall, which was fitted up as a tent, with muskets stacked and drums in tiers. The arrangement of the bunting displayed was tasteful. Portraits of prominent officers of the Second National Guard were hung about the boxes, and the effect of the whole was pleasing and conveyed the idea of a drawing room reception. Among the prominent officers present were Major General Woodward, Brigadier General Thomas C. Darrin, Colonel Frederick Mason, commanding Thirteenth regiment; Lieutenant Colonel Briggs, Major Daniels, Adjutant Richards, Captains Thomas Dean, Baldwin, and Major Charles Scharig, of the Fourteenth regiment. Officers of the staff of several other commands also participated in the festivities. The programme embraced twenty sets, with a promenade intervening. The Lanciers, Redowa, quadrille, waltz and galop formed the terpsichorean part of the reception, which was not concluded until near the dawn of Ash Wednesday morn.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Henry Glenbudd, a negro, met a horrid fate the day before yesterday on the Jamesburg and Freehold Railroad, in New Jersey, near Englishtown. It appears that, while jumping from a car to the engine tender, he fell under the wheels and was crushed to death. He had fallen once or twice before while trying the same feat, but escaped.

A CRAZY COON.

A young woman named Annie Coon, residing in West Twenty-sixth street, deliberately jumped off the ferryboat Hudson City in the middle of the North river at half-past ten o'clock last night. The body was not recovered.

THE JOINT HIGH COMMISSION.

Parliamentary Discussion of the British Programme.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Feb. 21, 1871.

The interest which attaches to the question of the probable operation of the International Joint High Commission during its sitting in Washington has not abated. The feeling which prevails in the public mind finds expression in the Parliament.

During the session of the House of Commons this evening Premier Gladstone objected to producing the instructions which had been given to the Anglo-American Commission.

He said that he believed that "the improvement of maritime international law would certainly be one of the topics of their deliberations."

Mr. Disraeli on the Attitude of the United States Towards England.

Mr. Disraeli, in the House of Commons on the 9th inst., concluded a long speech, of which the following is, in substance, the concluding portion:—

Turning to our relations with the United States he complained that its public men, especially Mr. Sumner, who held the position of chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate, assumed an attitude towards this country very different to that which they observed to other Powers. What was the reason of this? His complaints of the conduct of this country during the civil war were most unfounded and unjust, and he thought they arose from the desire to conciliate political support at the expense of this country, in the belief they should not resent them. The only course was to treat them with forbearance and contempt, but they were dangerous, inasmuch as they roused passions which it might be difficult to allay, and trusted that if negotiations were to be resumed the government would not lose the opportunity to come to a clear understanding with that of the United States; and he hoped that the result of the army scheme, which was to be submitted to them, would be such that it would be felt abroad that neither the honor nor the possessions of England were to be attacked with impunity. And if that was the case they would soon near little of repudiation, of treaty obligations, of insults either covert or open, of allegations, of decline of England's power and influence. He then proceeded to warn the House that the pursuit of wealth and commerce was not the only duty of this generation, and denied that the idea that the career of England had culminated, pointing to the Indian mutiny and the Abyssinian expeditions as proofs of what she was capable of when her energy was aroused.

THE FISHERY QUESTION IN CANADA.

Parliament Inquiring Into the Powers of the Joint High Commission.

Statement of Sir John A. Macconald—England Guarantees the Rights of Canadian Fishermen—The Fenian Raid Claims to be Brought Before the Commission—All Disputed Questions to be Settled.

OTTAWA, Feb. 21, 1871.

In the Dominion Parliament last night Sir A. T. Galt brought forward a motion respecting the fisheries and the appointment of a joint high commission.

Sir John A. Macdonald laid a correspondence connected therewith on the table.

Replying to a question of Sir A. T. Galt, if the government intended to protect Canadian fisheries as heretofore, Sir John A. Macdonald made a statement at some length regarding the subject. He described the relations between Canada and the United States, and the circumstances that had rendered it necessary that the rights of this country to control its waters should be asserted. He explained how the system of licensing American fishermen had been established, and had proved a total failure, 354 vessels taking out licenses in 1868, and only twenty-five in 1869, the number gradually decreasing until the Americans disregarded them altogether. The Imperial government assented to the proposition that the Canadian fisheries should be preserved for Canadian fishermen, and placed a naval squadron to aid us in carrying out that policy. Sir John believed that the protection had been efficient, and complimented the activity and discretion of the officers of the British squadron. With respect to the interpretation of the treaty of 1818, the Americans did not dispute they had renounced the right to fish within three miles from our shore. The headland question had remained in abeyance, but was understood not abandoned. In the correspondence that had been going on the Canadian and Imperial governments were in complete accord, and the Imperial government had given repeated assurances that our rights should not in any way be surrendered. The mission of Hon. Mr. Campbell had been partly for the purpose of obtaining a commission of three to settle the disputed questions, and the Imperial government had consented to appoint such Commission, consisting of Earl de Grey, Sir Edward Thornton and himself, Sir John A. Macdonald. The American government had consented, but suggested that the Commission should consider all the questions in dispute. The action of the Commission would be submitted to the Imperial Parliament.

In reply to Mr. Dufresne, Sir John said he did not know that the Commission would include the Fenian raid claims, but correspondence was now going on with reference to this matter with the Imperial government.

Discussion followed as to the share the Canadian government had had in the negotiations for the enlargement of the powers of the commissioners, and the Premier was obliged to confess that Sir Edward Thornton had taken that step without consulting him.

Sir John and Sir Francis Hincks also seemed to believe that the Fenian raid claims would form a subject for consideration, the latter especially holding that all questions in dispute with the British colonies would be considered as mentioned in Sir Edward Thornton's first letter.

Mr. Mackenzie said he could see no basis for such expectations.

Sir A. J. Galt pointed out that the correspondence must be taken in two parts, and that the scope of the Commission would be decided by Mr. Fish's letter of acceptance, where he guardedly stated that the subjects for consideration would be limited to questions arising out of the war.

Sir George E. Cartier, in reply to Mr. Mackenzie, stated that her Majesty's government had promised that the Commission to consider all the Alabama claims would have power to deliberate upon the Fenian raid claims.

Hon. Mr. Holton inquired if the detailed statement of the Fenian claims requested by Earl Kimberly had been furnished before the appointment of the Commission, and upon Sir Francis Hincks answering that it had been sent, Mr. Holton remarked that these papers ought to have been included in this return.

The Premier excused the absence of important papers by stating that it was quite impossible to bring them down, but the Colonial Office had been telegraphed with regard to those of a confidential nature, and they might be produced.

A motion to print the papers was adopted.

Mr. Mack

CONGRESS.

The Legislative Appropriation Bill Passed in the Senate.

Senator Casserly Overhauling the Bureau of Education.

Struggle in the House Over Railroad Land Grants.

Passage by the House of the Southern Pacific Railroad Bill.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

ACQUISITION OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

The resolution lately introduced by Mr. HOWARD, (rep.) of Mich., looking to the acquisition of the British North American possession west of Hudson's Bay, through the High Commission to assemble in Washington, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. WILSON, (rep.) of Mass.—To aid in the establishment and support of public schools in the States lately in rebellion.

The bill provides for the appropriation of the proceeds of the public lands for three years after the passage of the act, in aid of the public schools.

By Mr. HARLAN, (rep.) of Iowa—To increase the internal revenue derived from lotteries, and for other purposes.

THE CINCINNATI AND SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Mr. CORBETT, (rep.) of Oregon, from the Committee on Commerce, reported, with amendments, the bill to promote the construction of the Cincinnati and Southern Railway, giving a national charter for the construction of a railroad from Cincinnati to Chattanooga. The amendments are immaterial.

SENATE BILLS

were passed authorizing the United States Circuit Court for Indiana to make a partition of the Miami Reserve, and for the relief of A. S. Cadwalader, late collector of internal revenue for the Fifth Pennsylvania district.

Mr. RICE's bill for a new judicial district in Western Arkansas was discussed and defeated by yeas 22, nays 24. This result was regarded as an expression of the Senate averse to any action at the present session upon a dozen similar measures for the creation of new judicial districts and the appointment of additional United States district judges.

THE CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE.

Mr. ANTHONY, (rep.) of R. I., submitted and had read a letter from Rives & Bailey, proprietors of the *Daily Globe*, stating that their contract for printing the Congressional debates would expire March 8 next, and their willingness to enter into a new contract. Referred to the Committee on Printing.

SOLICITOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

On motion of Mr. STEWART, (rep.) of Nev., the bill to provide for a solicitor for the Department of the Interior was passed.

THE LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATION BILL.

The unfinished business, being the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill, was then proceeded with.

Mr. CASSERLY, (dem.) of Cal., continued his remarks of the previous day against the increased appropriation of $12,000 to the Bureau of Education, because of its inefficiency and inutility. He criticised in detail the defects and misrepresentations of the report of the Commissioner to show its worthless character. He said much of the report was a mere rehash of the reports of State School Superintendents, and commented upon the alleged attempt of the Commissioner to overrule the law prescribing the limits of the bureau by a general supervision of the common school system of the country.

Mr. THURMAN, (dem.) of Ohio, said the collection of school statistics was the only legitimate business of the bureau, and denied the right of Congress, under the constitution, to build up a great department of education, or to enter into the work of educating the American people.

Mr. SAWYER, (rep.) of S. C., defended the report of the Commissioner, and advocated the increase as intended to make subsequent reports more valuable.

Mr. POMEROY, (rep.) of Cal., in closing the debate said universal education was one of the principles of the republican party, to which the democrats were instinctively opposed.

The Senate then proceeded to vote upon the sundry amendments.

Mr. CASSERLY's motion to strike out the increase to the Education Bureau was voted down.

An amendment by Mr. WILLIAMS, (rep.) of Oregon, to increase the salaries of the Comptrollers and Auditors of the Treasury and Interior Departments, Assistant Postmaster General and Commissioners of Customs and Pensions to $4,000 per annum, was adopted by yeas 30, nays 21.

Mr. SCOTT, (rep.) of Pa., moved to insert Pittsburg in the bill as one of the places to which goods in bond may be transported under the law of the last session.

Mr. MOORE moved to include Mobile.

Both motions were agreed to.

The bill was then passed, and at three o'clock the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1871.

REGULAR APPROPRIATION BILLS.

The SPEAKER stated the business before the House to be on suspending the rule for the passage of a resolution offered by Mr. Dawes as follows:—

Resolved, That the rules be so suspended that the Committee of the Whole be discharged from the further consideration of the several regular Appropriation bills, and that they be considered in the House as in Committee of the Whole, in the order therein reported from the Committee on Appropriations, and that after two o'clock to-day they take precedence of all other orders until disposed of.

After some conversation as to the effect of the resolution the question was taken and the resolution was agreed to—yeas 127, nays 50.

THE TEXAS PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Mr. WHEELER, (rep.) of N. Y., from the Pacific Railroad Committee, reported back the Senate bill entitled "An act to incorporate the Texas Pacific Railroad Company, and aid in the construction of the road, and for other purposes," with an amendment. He stated that a part of the Senate bill had been preserved.

Mr. RANDALL, (dem.) of Pa., called for the reading of the original bill, which contains the names of John C. Fremont, Marshall O. Roberts, Thomas A. Scott and William S. Rosecrans, as corporators.

The amendment proposed by Mr. Wheeler was next read. It changes some of the names of the corporators, changes the name of the company to that of the South Pacific Railway Company and reduces the capital from $100,000,000 to $50,000,000.

Mr. JULIAN, (rep.) of Ind., raised the question whether the bill should be considered at this time.

The House agreed to do so, the vote being—yeas 148, nays 50.

Mr. WHEELER explained the amendment reported by him from the committee. The bill from the Senate provided for six different lines. The amendment provides for a single trunk from a point on the eastern boundary of the State of Texas at or near Marshall to the ship channel in the Bay of San Diego, California, pursuing the route known as the thirty-second parallel of north latitude. The Senate bill provided for a gauge of five feet. This amendment proposes a uniform gauge.

Mr. GARFIELD, (rep.) of Ohio, said while he believed that Congress ought to put an end to land grants, he believed the passage of a Southern Pacific Railroad bill was a great act of commercial justice to the South. He could not, however, vote for the measure unless there were three things provided against in the bill:—First, that it is not complicated with any branches or side roads.

Mr. WHEELER replied—It is not.

Mr. GARFIELD resumed, saying, in the second place, that it should not grant subsidies of bonds or money or the loan of the national credit.

Mr. WHEELER replied that it did not call for one dollar in bonds or money.

Mr. GARFIELD further asked whether the bill were so drawn that the man to whom the grant was made shall build the road and not sell a valuable franchise.

Mr. WHEELER replied that, according to the best ability of the committee, that was the object.

Mr. GARFIELD—Then I am for the bill.

Mr. ALLISON (rep.) of Iowa, desired to call attention to the fourth section, which he said did not meet the objection. This section proposed the company should purchase and consolidate all railroad companies, not only those which now exist but those which may hereafter be chartered. This latter part he proposed to strike out.

Mr. JUDD, (rep.) of Ill., said this bill seemed to cover the entire United States, as it gave power to make branches to almost every part of the country. He had therefore called the attention of the chairman of the committee to the subject, who replied that certain companies would combine, and that was the reason for the section.

Mr. WHEELER demanded the previous question and declined to yield the floor to other gentlemen. The demand was seconded.

The main question was then ordered. Mr. Wheeler, having the privilege to close the debate, gave ten minutes of his time to Mr. BALDWIN, (dem.) of Pa., who said if he could bring himself to believe that land grants and subsidies were beneficial to the mass of the people he should do everything in his power to aid in the development of the suffering South; but he was one of those who believed that while land grants and subsidies developed regions of country and increased wealth, yet they sap the foundation of republican government by placing power in the hands of the few.

Mr. BUTLER, (rep.) of Ala., was allowed three minutes. He said that the gauge ought to correspond with the twelve thousand miles of railroad in the South. Thirteen millions of money were to be given to this company, and yet no Southern man had been permitted to speak for more than three minutes. Rather than the bill be passed under these circumstances he would prefer to wait and not now see so much land given to a company to organize in New York and export its capital in the interest of Northern corporators.

Mr. WHEELER, in reply, said the gauge would be what the interests of business demanded, and in conclusion briefly spoke of the benefit of granting lands for railroad purposes. It was but just to the South that this bill should be passed.

The House agreed to Mr. Allison's amendment excluding from consolidation such railroads as may hereafter be chartered—yeas 74, nays 31.

The House agreed to Mr. Wheeler's amendment to the Senate bill, when the House passed the Senate bill as thus amended by yeas 104, nays 79.

The following is the vote in detail:—

YEAS—Messrs. Allison, Ames, Archer, Armstrong, Atwood, Axtell, Ayer, Bailey, Banks, Barnum, Farr, Beaman, Benjamin, Bennett, Benton, Bethune, Blair, Bolles, Brooks, of Mass.; Brown, Brooks, Buck, Buckley, Burchard, Butler, of Mass.; Butler, of Tenn.; Calkin, Cullom, Churchill, Clark, of Texas; Cobb, of N. C.; Conger, Conover, Cook, Corbett, Cornell, Darrall, Dawes, of N. C.; Dockery, Donley, Dox, Dyer, Durham, Eldridge, Farnsworth, Ferris, Ferry, Fisher, Fox, Garfield, Gilfillan, Hambleton, of Md.; Hamill, Hamilton, of Fla.; Harris, Harrison, Hays, Hem, Hoar, Hoge, Hooper, Hotchkiss, Jenckes, Johnson, Jones, of N. C.; Kelley, of Pa., Kelsey, of N. Y., Knapp, Lash, Lynch, Lynch, Manning, Marham, Maynard, McCarthy, McCormick, Mercer, McKenzie, Mibee, Morey, Morgan, Morrill, of Me., Morrison, Mungen, Negley, Newsham, O'Neill, Paine, of Wis., Paine, of Ga., Palmer, Perce, Phelps, Pratt, Poland, Pomeroy, Porter, Prosser, Rainey, Rogers, Roots, Sanford, Sargent, Sawyer, Schumaker, Shanks, Shellabarger, Shober, Smith, of Va.; Smith, of Ill.; Smith, of Tenn., Smith, of La., Stokes, Stone, Strickland, Swann, Taffe, Tanner, Tillman, Townsend, Trimble, Trowbridge, Van Horn, Wallace, Wheeler, Whitley, Whittemore, Wilkinson, Williams, Wilson, of Iowa, Wilson, of Md.—134.

NAYS—Messrs. Adams, Ambler, Asper, Beatty, Biggs, Bingham, Bird, Bolinton, Barnard, Burr, Clark, of Kansas; Cobb, of Wis., Coburn, Cox, Culson, Davison, Dawes, Dickinson, Finkelnburg, Getz, Haight, Heffernan, Hale, Hardy, Hay, Hill, Holman, Jones, of Ky., Judd, Lamison, Kerr, Lawrence, Lewis, Longyear, Marshall, McCrary, McNeely, Merriam, Moore, of Ohio, Moore, of La., Morgan, Niblack, Orth, Packard, of Ind., Packer, of Penna., Peck, Potter, Randall, Rapier, Rice, Scofield, Smith, of Ohio, Starkweather, Stevens, Stiles, Strong, Tyner, Van Trump, Voorhees, Washburn, Welker, Wells, Willard, Wilson, of Ohio, Wolf, Wood and Woodward—70.

THE MISSOURI CONTESTED ELECTION CASE.

Mr. CHURCHILL, (rep.) of N. Y., from the Committee on Elections, made a report in the Missouri contested election case of Shields against Van Horn, with resolutions that Mr. Shields the contestant, is not entitled to the seat; that Mr. Van Horn, the sitting member, is, and that Mr. Shields shall be paid $5,000 for his expenses.

The resolutions were adopted.

The House then, at twenty minutes past three o'clock, adjourned.

RUNNING NOTES—POLITICAL AND OTHERWISE.

"Whither are we drifting?" asks the Philadelphia *Press*. Whereupon the Bridgeport *Farmer* responds:—"Not being addicted to blasphemy we decline to answer the conundrum."

An Eastern exchange irreverently says the friends of Dick Yates (United States Senator) want to back him against Vinnie Ream in getting up a "bust."

The Massachusetts Legislature is waking up to a sense of the unfriendly action of the Canadians towards American fishermen.

A radical organ having stated that the principles of its party are "founded on Holy Writ," a democratic contemporary responds:—"Just so. In that case where the fellow sold out for thirty pieces of silver."

A tart writer says that instead of putting the word "God" in the letter of the constitution we had better take some of the "devil" out of the government.

A rather irreligious correspondent inquires whether, when the remark "Suffer little children to come unto Me" was made, any nice little boys were "going for" some poor old man or woman with a volley of snow and ice balls?

The New Haven *Palladium* thinks the proposition from a Southern editor that Raphael Semmes be appointed to serve on the Alabama Claims Commission the "coolest piece of impudence" it has lately met with.

The Portland *Argus* says "the New Hampshire democrats are working together like good fellows—shoulder to shoulder." Better that way than working together foot to foot, as if they were on a treadmill.

The Republican State Convention of Pennsylvania will be held in Harrisburg next month.

John Hancock has been nominated as a democratic candidate for Congress from the Texas Western district.

There is some talk of Senator Cameron retiring from the Senate after the expiration of his present term of office. There will be no difficulty in filling his place.

Grimes, the witness against Congressman Bowne, on a charge of instigating a murder in the South during the rebellion, has been allowed to escape from prison in South Carolina. His wife—one of them—has written a very pathetic appeal in his behalf.

CHINA.

A Memorial from the Protestant Missionaries.

A memorial has been presented by the Protestant missionaries in China to the diplomatic body at Pekin, deprecating the policy of allowing the Chinese authorities to escape from their treaty engagements to grant protection to Christian missionaries. The hostility toward foreigners is, the memorialists say, not likely to subside without further violent development unless the utmost firmness and energy be employed by foreign Powers for its repression.

W. H. SEWARD'S TRAVELS.

He is Attacked by a Party of Chinese.

[From the Straits Times, Jan. 4.]

Many of our readers will have heard something of an assault made upon the Hon. William H. Seward, ex-Secretary of the United States, and his party, during their recent visit to Woo-chang; and, while affairs in China are not all that could be desired, it is well to know the plain truth of any like occurrence, particularly when the event is connected with the name of so distinguished a man.

Mr. Seward and his party, accompanied by Mr. Hobson, of the customs, and Mr. Fitz, of Messrs. Russell & Co., went over the river from Hankow to Woo-chang, and then proceeded up the hill now unknown to foreigners there, to the Pagoda, without difficulty, but with pleasure. On their arrival they found the usual crowd of boys and beggars, all of whom were clamorous for a cumshaw of cash. The party were not provided for such a demand, and, after enjoying the view from their position, commenced the homeward descent. On the way down, however, these boys pelted their chair with stones—considerably damaging one of them—but discontinued their amusement on being yelled at by the coolies.

The circumstance, although no one was hurt, certainly did not heighten the pleasure of the excursion; but it is satisfactory to those most concerned that Mr. Hobson should have received a letter of apology and regret from the Taotai of Hankow for the occurrence, of which the following is a translation:—

Le Ming-che, Taotai of Hankow, to H. E. Hobson, assistant in charge, Hankow Customs.

I am in receipt of your note, informing me of your having visited Woo-chang, with a party, among whom was his Excellency ex-Secretary Seward and the representative of Messrs. Russell & Co., on which occasion you were pelted with stones by a disorderly mob of boys, and one of your sedan chairs broken.

The proceeding was most indecorous. I am intensely grieved that his Excellency the American ex-Secretary should have met such treatment on the occasion of his visit, and I respectfully request that you will convey to his Excellency my expressions of regret for what has taken place.

I have duly instructed the Woo-chang magistrate to issue proclamations in order that repetitions of such an offence may be prosecuted. I avail of this opportunity to present the usual compliments.

INTERCALARY, 10th moon, 21st day.

FUNERAL OF DOC SIMMONS.

The Last Tribute of Respect to the Memory of a Brave Man.

The funeral services of E. H. Simmons, better known as "Doc" Simmons, who was engineer of the ill-fated train so fearfully destroyed at New Hamburg on the 6th instant, took place yesterday afternoon at the Church of the Holy Apostle, corner of Twenty-eighth street and Ninth avenue. The church was full of people; the pallbearers consisted of four engineers and four firemen, namely:—Engineers—Henry Milliken, William Baird, William Russel, William Bildreth; firemen, Michael Murphy, John Murphy, John Hopkins and Nathaniel Fallon. The last mentioned accompanied Simmons on the engine the night of the disaster, and by his leap for life escaped a dreadful death to attend the funeral of his old companion, with whom he had for years risked so many perils by flood and fire. Most of the railway officials were present, including Mr. Toucey, Superintendent, and Mr. De Cannon, master machinist. Quite a number of engineers and firemen belonging to other railways also attended at the funeral service. The Rev. John T. Lunay, D. D., rector, assisted by Rev. William F. Lewis, officiated. No funeral oration was pronounced; no panegyric on the memory of the hero in humble life; and after the usual prayer the coffin was borne back down the aisle to the church door and deposited there, while the congregation slowly defiled out at either side. The upper portion of the lid was of glass, through which they "steadfastly gazed on the face of the dead" as they passed. The face was but slightly discoloured, though bearing the marks of bruises over the forehead and nose, and bore that expression of placid repose which so frequently sets in after the spirit has been violently wrenched from its earthly tenement. The body was very neatly dressed, with beautiful white linen shirt front and coat of dark cloth, with satin trimmings. At the conclusion of the ceremonies the remains were conveyed by special train with the engine draped in mourning, to Trinity Cemetery, 153d street.

A DEAD BEAT LAUNDRYMAN.

How He Was Compelled to Pay His Employes—The Law for the Recovery of Domestics' Wages.

A man named Fell, who owns a laundry at No. 331 East Fifty-third street, and who never pays a cent of their hard earned wages to his poor creatures who work for him only by compulsion, received a lesson which it is hoped will do him good for a while at least, from Justice McGuire, of the Seventh District Civil Court, yesterday. It appears that this Fell does business in the following manner:—He hires a number of women to wash and iron for him in his laundry, and then under various pretexts puts them off from week to week without paying them until he contracts with each a debt of sometimes forty dollars and more. Those of the poor creatures who are without friends and know not how to recover the money themselves, are sometimes paid a portion of their wages and then discharged and told to recover the remainder if they can, but very few of those have ever tried to recover what was owing to them. There are some, however, to whom he never pays a cent at all, and among this class of his unfortunate victims were Ellen Blackman and Annie Mahrooney. He owed these two girls twenty dollars each, but they being advised that under the law governing such cases, enacted in 1857, they could recover from a man claiming to have no personal or other property no sum over fifteen dollars, they reduced their claims to that amount and then sued Fell before Justice McGuire. On the trial of the case Fell swore that he had no interest in the business alluded to, that was simply an agent for another party, whose name, however, he refused to give. He then left the court defying the power of the law which he felt certain he had evaded; but he was mistaken, for yesterday he was arrested on a warrant and rather than go to Ludlow street jail he paid the amounts of the judgments against him which Justice McGuire decided to be fifteen dollars in each case.

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF UTAH.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 21, 1871.

George S. Woods, the newly appointed Governor of this Territory, arrived here last night. Owing to sickness in his family he will immediately return to Oregon, where he will remain a short time before entering upon his official duties.

PATER PATRIÆ.

The One Hundred and Thirty-Ninth Anniversary of Washington's Birthday—How It Will be Observed in the City and Elsewhere.

Though we have as yet but a brief national history—brief in time, though immeasurably fruitful in results—we have already a couple of days legally set apart for the fitting celebration of those debts of gratitude and affection which we owe to the past. Independence Day is one, and to-day, the anniversary of the birthday of the

FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY,

is the other. It would be, of course, absurd to say which is most worthy of celebration; they are both hallowed by the most solemn and sacred memories, and it is the duty of every good American citizen to honor both with all his heart and soul and strength. When the glory of either grows dim and pale the country may indeed be despondent.

Washington's Birthday, however, appeals directly to our personal affection for the greatest and noblest of Americans, while Independence Day makes a sort of general demand upon our patriotism. In the latter case we throw our eyes back to the past and abandon ourselves to mingled feelings of gratitude to the King of kings, who delivered us out of the house of bondage and the land of Egypt; of respect for the memory of the almost nameless legions of the patriotic dead who fell in our first grand birth struggle, and of pride in the present grandeur of the land for which their lives were cheerfully rendered up. But to-day our reminiscences will give rise to but one sentiment, and that sentiment will be concentrated upon a single object. We shall simply rejoice once more in the possession of

AN ETERNAL EXAMPLE

of the purest and most steadfast and exalted patriotism—an example that seems at first rather to be some Utopian, ideal incarnation of unselfishness and integrity and fearlessness and all else that makes up public virtue, than a flesh and blood figure of the actual past. It is well, indeed, in these degenerate days, when even the belief in the possible purity of a politician seems to have faded from the mind of the vast majority of our people, to recall at least once a year the blameless life and unstained record of the most illustrious of historic Americans. Perhaps, if we can only hold fast to this glorious tradition of a man who never abused the trust of the people, who rose

SUPERIOR TO EVERY TEMPTATION

of vanity or interest, who even refused the offered crown and purple of a king, we may, in the dim, distant future, be ruled by not unworthy copies of his virtue.

Although, being a legal holiday, there will be scarcely any business done—at any rate down town—to-day will not be marked by any very striking civic displays. The Stock and Produce Exchanges, the banks and insurance offices, the courts of justice and the public offices will of course be closed. The military celebrations will mostly take place in the evening at the various armories, and even then will consist not of exercises or feats of arms, but of less fatiguing and more pleasant reunions. Only one regiment, the Eleventh, Colonel Funk, will turn out on parade to accompany the veterans of the war of 1812 on their annual march down Broadway. Several deaths have occurred among the latter since last year, and as they feebly totter along the street, with depleted ranks, we shall realize how soon they will all pass away from us. It is also to be hoped that something will be done to smooth the way of these noble old men through the few years of life that still remain to them. To-day we must surely remember, with a sign of remorse, that one of them was rescued only the other day by private charity from a death by starvation.

IN THE EVENING

the pupils of the Cooper Union will have an entertainment in the big hall of the Institute, and reunions will also take place of the following associations:—Second Company of the Washington Continental Guard at Irving Hall; Washington Market Association, at Apollo Hall; Apprentice Boys' Lodge, at Lyric Hall; Washington Light Guard, Company B, Twelfth regiment, at their armory, in Thirty-fourth street; Sixth regiment, at the armory in Fourteenth street; Seventy-first regiment, in the armory at Broadway and Thirty-fifth street; Post Sedgwick G. A. R., in the hall at Fourteenth street and Fifth avenue.

At Trinity the usual service will be given, including the reading of Washington's Farewell Address. Chimes will also be rung this morning.

Washington's Birthday in Brooklyn.

The citizens of Brooklyn have always observed Washington's Birthday, though in no pretentious manner. It has not been marked by any military parade, but a portion of the citizens have abandoned their work and remained at home. The interest in the day appears to be increasing, and eventually it will be as fully observed as any of the other annual holidays. All the courts yesterday were adjourned over until Thursday, and all the public offices about the City Hall and Court House were closed for the same period. The flags will be displayed to-day from all the public buildings.

TOO MUCH ROAST MUTTON.

Three Hundred Sheep Burned Alive in First Avenue.

At two o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the two story brick house Nos. 770, 772 and 774 First avenue, occupied by Davis & Harrington as a slaughter house, completely destroying the building, which was of brick, together with a large amount of stock. At the time the fire broke out there were three hundred live sheep in the building, ready for slaughter, all of which were roasted alive. The officers attached to the Nineteenth precinct, under command of Captain Gunner, made every effort in their power to release the sheep from the flames, but owing to the inflammable material contained in the building were unable to render them any assistance whatever. They describe the bleating of the unfortunate animals in their frantic efforts to escape from the bed of fire to have been heartrending.

The entire loss to building and stock is as follows:—On wool, $20,000; on live stock, $7,000, and on building, $8,000. Insured for $2,900 each in the following companies:—Exchange, Mechanics', Traders', Firemen's Fund, Adriatic, Lafayette, and Montauk, of Brooklyn.

The fire originated in the drying room and is supposed to have been caused by wool coming in contact with the stove.

SUSPICIOUS DEATH.

On Thursday night Mrs. Ellen Dorigan, a woman thirty-eight years of age, died suddenly at her residence, 521 East Fifteenth street, under circumstances which Captain Cameron, of the Eighteenth precinct, regarded as being somewhat suspicious. Deceased had been unwell for several weeks, and for the last few days at least, had drank to excess of so-called brandy and other spirits. Her husband, John Dorigan, not being an advocate of total abstinence, occasionally took his rations freely, and a day or two ago, while under spiritious influence, Dorigan kicked his wife once or twice on the shoulder or in the stomach, but not in such a manner as to disable her. Monday night Mrs. Dorigan retired to rest, apparently in her usual health, but before morning her husband discovered that she was dead by his side. On learning of the fact Captain Cameron took charge of Dorigan, and detained him at the station house, with Alice Doyle, a young woman stopping temporarily with the family, till Coroner Young should make an investigation.

CHRISTIAN UNITY.

Proposed Convention of Long Island Preachers.

The Christian ministers of all denominations on Long Island propose holding a convention at Riverhead on the 8th of March. The object is to bring about united action among the churches. Some of the clergymen of the island are very radical in their ideas, and have long hoped to witness the time when all denominations would be united in matters of Christian belief. The following subjects will be discussed:—"The Duty of the American Church to Christmen in America;" "In What Does Christian Unity Consist, and How May It Best Promoted;" "The Benefits of Christian Life, Politically, Socially and Personally;" "Systematic study of the Bible, and How It May Be Promoted."

FUNERAL OF DR. HYATT.

The once famous "Life Balsam" Doctor Hyatt, of Grand street, was buried yesterday from the Alan Sion Methodist Episcopal church, Norfolk street, near Grand. The church was crowded with friends and mourners, because the Doctor was known and respected as one of the most generous Christian men in the Tenth ward. His charities were numerous, but they were unostentatiously bestowed. He died at the age of seventy-one years, of nervous debility and prostration from mental overwork. His family are left in comfortable circumstances. Rev. Messrs. McAllister, Charles E. Harris, of Brooklyn; J. O. Rodgers, of Staten Island, and F. Brown, of this city, made short addresses yesterday eulogistic of the deceased. The remains were interred in Greenwood Cemetery.

COAL FAMINE IN JERSEY.

The supply of coal in Newark, Orange, Elizabeth and various other New Jersey cities and towns is decreasing rapidly, and fears are entertained of a regular famine of black diamonds. In Orange especially is the scarcity felt. There is now on hand only about 1,000 tons, and dealers are charging as high as twelve dollars per ton.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

The South Atlantic Squadron—Its Number and Want of Efficiency.

RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 25, 1871.

It certainly seems a misfortune that the United States naval squadron in these waters is so small that only a few days at a time, and this at long intervals apart, can a vessel of war be permitted to remain at this port. Admiral Lanman unquestionably manages the squadron as well as possible, but he has only two vessels to manœuvre with—the Lancaster and the Portsmouth—and only one of these—the Lancaster—is a steam vessel. The Wasp, a steamer, is properly retained in the Rio la Plata continually. Indeed, the whole squadron is not at all too large for active use at Montevideo and Buenos Ayres during these troublesome times in that region. So that the city of Rio is nearly all the time without an American naval representative in her harbor. If the naval service of the United States is to be kept up commensurate with its dignity as a nation, and the present promise of the increase of its commerce, why is it, when it is so well known that the most economical mode of keeping the service up is the active use of the vessels, instead of permitting them to rot in the navy yards, that the foreign squadrons are not increased? Nothing so much tends to make a nation respected abroad, and to render all places accessible to her commerce, as the maintenance of a naval squadron of decent size and efficiency. So long, however, as Congress limits the seamen to the present niggardly number, the vessels of the service cannot be, a quarter of them, manned.

The Lancaster, the flagship, left here on the 2d of January, after a tarry of eight days, for Bahia. Whether she was to return here or proceed to Montevideo was not known. The health of officers and crew was good.

The Portsmouth left Montevideo January 10, for Buenos Ayres, where she was to remain a while and her place at Montevideo be taken by the Wasp. As soon as the flagship arrives at Montevideo the Portsmouth will come to this place if she can be spared.

It was supposed here that the naval depot at this place was to be discontinued, in compliance with decisions to that effect made at home. Paymaster Browne, now in charge of the naval depot, informs me that they are waiting for final instructions in regard to closing up the station, and when they arrive the matter will be consummated.

The Brooklyn Navy Yard.

The United States storeship Supply, which ship is detailed to take provisions to France, was put in commission at this yard at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The following is a correct list of her officers:—

Lieutenant commanding, George Dewey, detached from the United States steamer Narragansett and ordered to the command of the Supply; Lieutenant Commander A. G. Kellogg, executive officer; Master C. S. Sperry, navigation officer; Masters—Richard Rush, W. L. Field, W. H. Beehler and B. S. Richards; Past Assistant Paymaster—H. T. B. Holmes; Past Assistant Surgeon—W. T. Bowen. Boatswain—Joseph McDonald; Carpenter—R. G. Holmes.

The Supply will commence to receive her supplies on the 23d inst., and get away about the middle of next week.

The Omaha (second rate) will be taken out of dry dock on Thursday, she having been coppered and her shaft put in place.

The yard tug Rocket will go in the dock the same day for some slight repairs, which will take three or four days.

The Narragansett has received orders for the Pacific and will sail in a few days. The California is also ready for sea and will go to the North Pacific.

The Ticonderoga, now fitting out at the Boston Navy Yard, will relieve the Narragansett as the Port Admiral's flagship at this station.

The United States steamer Worcester, Commander William D. Whiting, will sail from the Boston Navy Yard with supplies for France on the 25th inst.

Two hundred and fifty men, employed in the Steam Engineering Bureau of the Brooklyn Navy Yard since the first of the year, were discharged a few days since by order of the Chief of Bureau at Washington, James W. King. The men were on half time previous to their discharge. Among the number are blacksmiths, machinists and laborers.

The Tehuantepec Survey.

The United States steamer Maydower was at Coatzacoalcos, Mexico, on the 25th ult., surveying, and the United States steamer Kansas had just arrived. All well.

NEW YORK CITY.

The following record will show the changes in the temperature for the past twenty-four hours in comparison with the corresponding day of last year, as indicated by the thermometer at Hudnut's Pharmacy, HERALD Building, corner of Ann street:—

	1870.	1871.		1870.	1871.
3 A. M.	22	38	3 P. M.	18	33
6 A. M.	18	35	6 P. M.	17	33
9 A. M.	17	33	9 P. M.	16	27
12 M.	17	36	12 P. M.	15	25

Average temperature yesterday 30¾

Average temperature for corresponding date last year 17½

The Board of Police Commissioners yesterday afternoon dismissed patrolman Michael McCovey, of the Twenty-first precinct, from the department.

The last sociable of the season of the Sans Façon Association took place on Monday evening at St. John's Hall, Jersey City, and was a decided success.

An elocutionary and dramatic entertainment by the students of the Mount Washington Collegiate Institute, for the benefit of the Newsboys' Lodging House, will be held at Association Hall to-morrow evening, under the direction of Professor Morgan L. Bloom. It promises to be a pleasant affair, and the object of its managers is deserving of every encouragement.

Mr. Charles Lanier, Treasurer of the Fund for the Relief of the Suffering Population of France, acknowledges the receipt of the following additional subscriptions to February 20:—Received by the Chamber of Commerce Committee, $55,696; by Produce Exchange Committee, $15,045. Grand total, $100,741.

At the annual election of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, held at No. 26 Exchange place yesterday, the following gentlemen were re-elected unanimously:—President, Samuel Sloan; Treasurer, Andrew J. Odell; Secretary, Charles E. Carryl; Managers, William E. Dodge, Moses Taylor, George Bulkley, John J. Blair, Rufus R. Graves, Simeon B. Chittenden, John Brisben, George Bliss, Percy R. Pyne, William Walter Phelps, Joseph H. Scranton, James Blair, Denning Duer and Wilson G. Hunt.

The Thomas Jefferson Club, of the Ninth ward, held a special meeting on Monday evening at their rooms, corner of Hudson and Barrow streets, which was very fully attended. Hon. James O'Neill, the president and founder of the club, presided, and on taking the chair made a neat and pertinent speech, in which he dwelt upon the duties of the members, the progress of the organization and of the mission he hoped and felt confident it would fulfil. His remarks were listened to with the attention they merited, and, after the discharge of routine business, the election of several new members and the distribution of copies of the constitution and by-laws, the meeting adjourned.

ANOTHER BOY ASSASSIN.

A Lad of Sixteen Shoots at a Crowd of Boys and Wounds One of Them.

At about five o'clock last evening, while a crowd of boys were playing on the meadows at the foot of Leonard street, Williamsburg, a lad, named Matthew McKeever, sixteen years of age, deliberately approached them and discharged a musket loaded with powder and ball, in their midst, exclaiming as he did so, "See me give it to some of them sons of b—s." The result was the shooting in the right leg of William Dunphy, a boy of fourteen. After this feat McKeever ran off toward Greenpoint, and is still at large. He resides with his parents, in Ewen street, near Sandford. His victim (Dunphy) was removed by his companions to the residence of his parents, No. 241 Leonard street. It is said that McKeever and Dunphy belong to the hostile gangs that have frequent fackas fights in the neighborhood.

BURNING OF THE CINCINNATI UNION BETHEL.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 21, 1871.

The old part of the Cincinnati Union Bethel, on Front street, was burned this morning about eleven o'clock. The building was used as a reading room, cheap restaurant for seamen and others, a newsboys' home and for other purposes in connection with the benevolent work of the society. The splendid new building in the rear, recently finished by the society, was much exposed and the roof damaged somewhat by fire and the engines by water. The loss on the new building will be covered by a few thousand dollars. The old building was insured for $2,000 in the American and $2,000 in the Cincinnati Fire Insurance Companies. The adjoining stores, occupied by Gath & Nunnor and Slymer & Hall, were somewhat damaged by water. The whole loss is about $30,000.

ANOTHER ERIE RAILROAD SUIT.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Feb. 21, 1871.

At a Special Term of the Supreme Court, held before Judge Bockes, in this village to-day, a motion was noticed in the case of Mr. John W. Thompson and Mr. William Watt against the Erie Railroad Company for an extension of time to answer. This is a suit to recover the preferred dividend of 1870, brought in January last, the venue being laid in Warren county. This case was not heard, however, it being arranged between the respective attorneys to be postponed.

THE "QUEER" AGAIN.

Merchant, Sheriff, Counterfeiter and Informer—The Story of an Eventful Life—Patience a Virtue Peculiar to Detectives—A Clever Capture at Last—Extraordinary Revelations by an Extensive Shover of Counterfeits—A Vast Amount of Counterfeits Still in This City.

A few weeks ago we were receiving from all parts of the country accounts of the successful captures, trial and consequent punishment for extended periods of the "fathers" of the counterfeiters.

Fred Biebush, before retiring into private life for the limited term of twenty years, gave his congé to the Western States. Pete McCartney, whose name was a byword down South, was seen for the last time in public in the dock at St. Louis, previous to his departure for the State Prison for a similar period. Three weeks ago the dock of the United States Circuit Court in our own city was literally filled with a batch of counterfeiters, numbering twenty-four, among whom was the redoubtable Bill Gurney, who not only has indulged in distributing the "queer," but, in his leisure hours, has turned his hand to housebreaking, bankbursting and such harmless amusements. In this crowd, too, was an officer who had served the country well during the war, but who in his old age fell

AWAY FROM THE PATHS OF HONOR,

and whose gray hairs and dignified appearance caused many a sigh of pity when a sentence of four years' hard labor was pronounced upon him. People were at first thunderstruck at finding that this nefarious trade prevailed to such an extent; but when it was announced by the head of the secret service himself that he had secured the great leaders and the principal plates in existence, and when counterfeiter after counterfeiter took his departure from the outside world for the shady precincts of Sing Sing and the other penitentiaries throughout the country, people began to believe that counterfeiting existed to an extent they never dreamed of, that there was an end of it at last, and that the object for which the secret service force had been established had at length been attained.

As each great counterfeiter had his measure of justice meted out to him the cry on all sides was, "The last of the coneys," and when the notorious Gurney took his departure from among us it was confidently asserted by many of the detectives themselves that all the gangs had been broken up, and that we should hear no more of counterfeiters—at all events on a large scale.

It now seems, however, that the detectives have been flattering themselves, and that the public has been

LULLED INTO A FALSE SECURITY

regarding the circulation of spurious money. There is at present lying in Ludlow Street Jail a man named James Boyd, who was arrested on last Saturday evening. The fact of the capture has already been published, but as it was supposed that Boyd was one of that miserable class who seem to have a constitutional objection to gain an honest living, and who prefer to eke out an existence, no matter how wretched, by "taking in" their fellows, little attention was paid to the circumstance. It was believed, in a word, that he was one of those who manage to retain some of what is left of the "coney" which was in circulation so extensively a short time ago. It appears, from the revelations which have been made by himself to Colonel Whitley, the chief of the United States Secret Service force, within the last two days, connecting him with other matters which had caused the detective force much trouble, and upon which their attention has been riveted for months and months, that instead of having effected the capture of

SOME SKULKING "QUEER SHOVER"

they have secured the very man for whom they have waited for an almost unlimited period, with all the patience which a detective alone can possess. Though Boyd's name, up to the very moment of his capture, was utterly unknown to the public as a counterfeiter, it appears from the statements made by himself that since his youth he has been dabbling in the queer, and that this is not the first time he has fallen into the hands of the officers of the law. The detectives had long suspected him of doing a considerable trade in counterfeits, but even they are surprised at the extent to which he has been guilty. All of us are familiar with such names as Gurney, Biebush, McCartney and a host of other cognomens which are identified with desperate acts, both in counterfeiting government paper and in every species of